

# Fire In Apartment House Wrecks Three Suites

## Britain, U.S., France Condemn Czech Red Coup

WASHINGTON (AP)—Britain, the United States and France today jointly condemned as a "disguised dictatorship" of Communists the new government set up in Czechoslovakia.

A declaration issued at the State Department the three governments also said the Communists had seized power through "a crisis artificially and deliberately instigated."

With an apparent reference to other Communist power grabs, such as in Hungary, the three western powers charged that the crisis served as a cover for the use of certain methods already tested in other places.

Here is the text of the joint declaration:

The governments of the United States, France and Great Britain have attentively followed the course of the events which have just taken place in Czechoslovakia and which place in jeopardy the very existence of the principles of liberty to which all democratic nations are attached.

## Fate Of Czech Anti-Reds Big Question In Prague

PRAGUE (AP)—The fate of Czechoslovakia's battered and beaten anti-Communist forces was the big question mark today in this central European country, which fell under complete Communist domination Wednesday night.

The Communist Party, largest but still a minority in parliament, controlled a new government made up of its members and sympathizers. The semblance of the old coalition was preserved.

Communist Premier Klement Gottwald induced independent President Eduard Benes to approve this government Wednesday night. The President accepted resignations of 14 anti-Communist ministers, 12 of whom quit last week to protest Communist moves to control the police.

### SIX DAYS OF PRESSURE

In six days of bloodless revolution, the Communist Party had pressed its demands and won a step toward turning this little republic, modelled at birth after the United States, into a copy of its new idol, Soviet Russia.

Reuter's news agency said a "great display of the force" of the National Security corps, including all branches of the Czechoslovak police, had been called for tonight. Prague police and motorized units would meet in the presence of all members of the new government in the square before the old town hall. They would parade to the National Theatre.

The parade, Reuter quoted a government announcement as saying, "is to give the people of Prague a chance to express their gratitude to the police for the security they maintain throughout the crisis."

The Communists' next goal is

## At Least 10 Slip Czech Border

NEUHAUSEN, Germany (AP)—At least 10 Czechs are known to have slipped through their border patrols near this frontier town this week, reaching the United States zone of Germany under cover of darkness.

The only traffic across the heavily-guarded Czechoslovak frontier since the Prague political crisis developed has been by night and by stealth.

The barriers have not been lifted either at Neuhausen or at nearby Wildenau to let any traveler through in either direction since 11:30 a.m. Tuesday. Since last Sunday, issuance of Czechoslovak entry visas for tourists and news reporters has been suspended.

A United States officer said that in the last month young Czechoslovak men had been crossing secretly into the U.S. zone and offering themselves for service in any military unit in which they might get a chance.

to fight Communists in their own land. He said between 75 and 100 such men had arrived and were turned over to the United States army.

"I don't know what was done with them," he said.

## U.S. Bomber Crashes; 4 Die, 8 Survive

MERIDIAN, Tex. (AP)—Four members of a 12-man crew were killed in the crash of a United States Air Force B-29 bomber near here Wednesday night.

The eight other crew members parachuted through the rain and fog to safety.

One of a flight of 20 B-29s bound for the west coast, the bomber crashed in flames shortly after taking off from Carswell air base at Fort Worth, Tex.

The four victims were near the wreckage.

### Victims Of Morning Blaze Take Refuge In Garage



Mother and children huddled in a garage to keep out of the wind and rain following their evacuation from the old Shotbolt home. Mrs. Burton Smart, centre, brought her five children, pictured at left, down from the second floor. Mrs. John Hart, wife of B.C.'s former premier, gave the children sanctuary in her home nearby.

### R.C.M.P. Raid I.O.D.E. Office; Seize Correspondence

EDMONTON (CP)—Royal Canadian Mounted Police armed with warrants today raided the home of Mrs. Eleanor Griffin, secretary of the Alberta branch of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, and the organization's central office in downtown Edmonton in surprise moves and seized a "considerable quantity" of correspondence.

Police first raided the home of Mrs. Griffin at 10744 127th Street in west Edmonton and followed up immediately by raiding the central office of the I.O.D.E.

The warrants were identical with the exception of addresses and were laid in connection with the Alberta government's "conspiracy to publish libel" charges facing Jack Kent Cooke, Harold Dingman and Dr. Charlotte Whitton in connection with a New Liberty Magazine article entitled "Babies for Export."

### Strike Slashes B.C. Coal Output

British Columbia's coal mines, closed for more than half the month by strikes, during January, produced only 46,954 long tons of coal compared with 117,317 in the strike-free, previous January.

Statistics released today by the provincial chief inspector of mines showed January production of Vancouver Island mines at 13,214 long tons, compared with 45,562 during the previous January. Chief island producers with production figures for the previous January in brackets, were the following: Comox Colliery No. 8 Mine, 5,440 (19,934); Tsable River Mine 498 (nil); No. 10 Mine, South Wellington, 5,604 (19,361), and White Rapids Mine, 1,265 (4,867).

Output of the East Kootenay District was 46,954 long tons last month, compared with 65,487 during the previous January.

The northern district produced 2,149 long tons, compared with 1,540 during the previous January, while the Nicola-Princeton district's output was 2,055 long tons, compared with 4,718.

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This picture, taken from the south side of the building, shows a fireman cutting away smoldering shingles surrounding a chimney. Most damage was done at the front of the building.

## 50-Mile Gale, Drenching Rain Sweep Over This Area

Drenching rains and gusty winds hit Victoria and Vancouver Island today. Winds reached peak shortly after 1 this afternoon when the meteorologist at the Gonzales Observatory, recorded a velocity of over 50 miles an hour.

While only minor damage was reported to have been caused by the winds, one downtown pedestrian, however, was close to serious injury when a gust of wind blew down a neon sign in front of a Fort Street florist shop.

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## Mothers Rush Children From Building As Flames Sweep Living Quarters

Extensive damage was done by fire which broke out this morning, in the three-story home converted into an apartment house, on the southeast corner of Fairfield and Foul Bay Road. The residence is familiar to Victorians as the former Shotbolt home. Three suites at the front of the old frame building were gutted by the flames which swept through an inside wall and caused hurried evacuation of mothers and children.

The building, bought by its present owners over a year ago for conversion to an apartment dwelling, was occupied by eight families representing between 30 and 40 persons.

The fire was detected by Lew Gallant as he entered the building and started to go upstairs. Noticing smoke coming up between boards in the stairs, he immediately descended and broke the glass in a fire-alarm box in the front hall. He then aroused all residents. Women, some still in night attire, began immediately to rush their children to safety.

Mrs. Burton Smart, mother of seven, had some difficulty bringing down the five who were with her from the second floor. Her other two children were at school. Mrs. Len Carpenter, a resident of the top floor, told a reporter: "I was scared when I heard the shouting but I told the children everything was all right. The two oldest ones got a little panicky but I had no trouble with the baby." Mrs. Carpenter's children are eight, five and one and one-half years of age.

There are many children living in the apartment house, as couples with families were given preference in acquiring accommodation when the Shotbolt home was purchased by its present owners, Capt. and Mrs. A. M. Macdonald and Mrs. E. H. Luney.

The alarm was received at the City Fire Hall at 8:58. Two pump trucks and a service truck were sent under the direction of Deputy Fire Chief Philip Guy. Police also attended and helped evacuate the women and children and blocked off roads over which firemen's hoses were run from hydrants.

The Nicholas D. Labadie is fully loaded with a cargo of grain loaded at the Port of Vancouver for Holland and was believed to have been outward-bound at the time she went ashore.

Word was first received by the Salvage King shortly before noon today in a telephone call from Vancouver and Capt. A. Thomas, skipper of the new salvage vessel, owned by Pacific Salvage Ltd., immediately sent out a call for crew members to report back to the ship.

The Dominion government wireless station at Gordan Head reported there had been no distress signals received from the grounded ship indicating the freighter's crew was in immediate danger.

Active Pass lies between Galiano and Mayne Islands on the east coast of Vancouver Island about 65 miles north of Victoria.

This is the first time the new Salvage King has gone to the aid of a grounded ship since she arrived at this port following her purchase by the company from the U.S. where she had been used as a fire-boat to follow the U.S. Pacific fleet. She has had several tow jobs.

Flames from the stud swept upward, breaking out in a clothes cupboard in the Smart's suite on the second floor, and through the wall in the third floor living room of Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter.

A section of the roof over the Carpenter's suite was burnt off. Firemen, however, moved all furniture to one side and covered it to protect it from rain damage.

Smoldering clothing, bedding and a mattress were thrown out of upstairs windows by firemen in bringing the burning building under control.

E. H. Luney, husband of one of the joint owners of the building, spoke highly of the work done by the fire department crews. He said the property had

been bought with the intention of tearing the old house down and sub-dividing the property. Because of the housing shortage, however, the building was converted to give accommodation for couples with children.

### British Cruiser Sent To Honduras

LONDON (AP)—The Admiralty announced today the cruiser Sheffield had sailed from Colombia for British Honduras.

The ship was said to have been dispatched "because of possible incidents staged by irresponsible elements in neighboring Guatemala."

A Foreign Office spokesman said there recently had been a "virulent campaign" against Britain in the Guatemalan press.

"No doubt," he said, "it has its origin in recent events in the Antarctic."

The Guatemalan press and government have supported the claims of Argentina and Chile to the British-claimed Falcondale Islands off the southeast coast of Argentina.

"At the same time," the spokesman said, "the Guatemalan press has resurrected a long-standing dispute between this country and Guatemala on the question of the British Honduras."

"At one time or another, Guatemala laid claim to part or all of the British Honduras. Since 1945 the British government has asked them to take the claim to an International Court of Justice."

## Bakery Chief Tells Price Probe 5c Boost Justified

OTTAWA (CP)—Evidence that the Dominion Bakeries administrator had given sanction to a 3-cent increase in the price of bread in Toronto last September was presented today to the Commons price committee.

J. Leo Kelleher, at the time a Toronto bakery executive, testified administrator Charles Rutman had attended a September meeting of bakers and had told them a 3-cent increase consequent on the removal of bread controls and flour subsidies would be justified.

Mr. Kelleher, Toronto plant manager of General Bakeries, had not recalled in previous testimony the presence of the Bakery Administrator at the Toronto meeting. He had thought it was attended only by bakers.

Today, he said the administrator had advised the meeting the removal of subsidies on flour probably would add 2 cents to the cost of a loaf, and other increased costs would account for another cent.

He said he had not agreed with Mr. Rutman that the increase in cost would be 3 cents. General Bakeries felt the amount would be 4 cents.

"I assume I'd have to," Mr. Kelleher replied.

"But would you, bearing in mind that there are no controls now?" pressed Mr. Martin.

"I couldn't do it and live," Mr. Kelleher said.

### Coal For Export

LONDON (Reuter)—Britain intends to export up to 16,000,000 tons of coal this year as a result of unexpectedly high production and low consumption at home. Fuel Minister Hugh Gaitskell told the House of Commons today. Stocks were 14,500,000 tons and probably would exceed 12,000,000 tons at the end of the winter.

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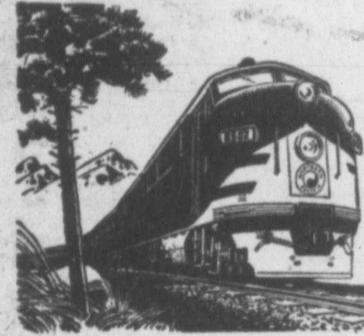
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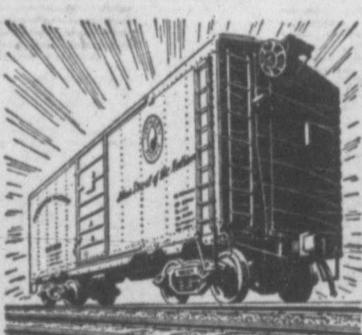
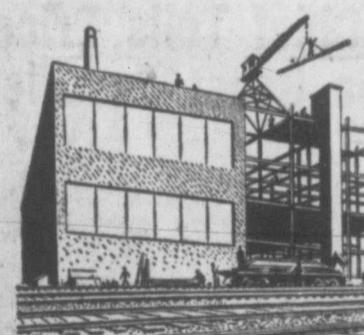
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## Re-Routing Of Island Highway Discussed At Duncan Meeting

DUNCAN—Public Works Minister E. C. Carson outlined two tentative plans for re-routing of the Island Highway through the city of Duncan and municipality of North Cowichan, at a representative meeting here today.

The meeting was told that although no decision was made as to which route would be developed, all matters discussed would be given careful consideration before a final decision was made.

Deputy Minister A. L. Carruthers and J. H. A. Steven, department engineer, accompanied Mr. Carson. Representatives were heard from Mayor J. C. Wragg of Duncan, D. D. Chapman of North Cowichan, W. J. Long, chairman of the school board for Cowichan, and various aldermen and councillors.

He charged that present immigration was "directed against French survival" in Canada and accused the federal government of seeking the "death and disappearance" of Canada's French element.

Displaying maps of the alternative routes, Mr. Carruthers said the easterly route, which would pass through a portion of Duncan's residential district, was preferred from an engineer's standpoint.

Although he himself had no strong objections to either route, Reeve Chapman said consideration should be given to claims of some farmers, who believed their lands would suffer by being cut by the highway if the easterly route was chosen. He felt for and water in the vicinity of Somes Lake would be a drawback.

Mr. Carruthers said either route would by-pass Chemainus by one and one three-quarters miles.

### BRIEF FROM FARMERS

A claim that the easterly route would destroy many farms and would not open up any new territory, was made in a brief signed by 32 farmers. Another brief signed by 25 resident property owners of Duncan townsite, also objected to the route.

Fear that construction of the easterly road might constitute a serious drainage menace was expressed by Mayor Wragg. He added however, that he had full confidence in the government engineer.

Cowichan Agricultural Association in its brief emphasized damage to arable lands by the easterly route. Duncan and District Garagemen's Association went on record supporting the westerly route, while another brief, signed by 20 Duncan businessmen favored the easterly road. The westerly route was favored by Cowichan Lake residents.

Mr. George Evans told the meeting that the easterly route would cut arable farm lands and said it would be 20 years before a firm roadbed could be built along the Somes Lake flats.

"If the province is going to depend on tourists, give them something to look at," Mr. Long said, as he spoke in favor of the easterly route if it passed east of the proposed high school.

Level crossings in Duncan might pose a serious traffic problem if the easterly route were chosen, W. W. Seymour, president of the Duncan Chamber of Commerce said.

## New Wheat, Oats Strains Developed

WINNIPEG (CP)—Development of a new strain of wheat, to be known as Apex Sask. 2,177, and a new variety of oats, likely to be licensed as Fortune, have been announced in a joint statement by the National Research Council and the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Both varieties were developed by Dr. J. B. Harrington and co-workers in the field husbandry department at the University of Saskatchewan. Announcement of their development was made here Wednesday at a meeting of plant research workers.

Dr. Harrington said the new wheat strain will not require licensing as it is being given the name Apex and will replace the old Apex (C.T. 309). Apart from being higher in yield and bushel weight and with stronger straw, it is essentially the same as its predecessor.

The new oat strain was compared with the Exeter variety by Dr. Harrington. It is equal in yield but slightly earlier ripening, taller and stronger strawed.

The big point in favor of this new oat variety is that it has a much stronger resistance to smut than Exeter," he said. "It also has better protein and oil content."

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## Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight Feb. 28:

Synopsis — An intensifying storm moved eastward into southern B.C. early this morning. A broad band of heavy clouds and rain or snow is developing in advance of the disturbance. Clear or partially cloudy skies and strong northwesterly winds are following in the wake of the storm. Clearing weather and colder temperatures are expected tonight and Friday.

Vancouver and vicinity, lower Fraser Valley—Cloudy with rain showers this morning clearing this afternoon. Variable cloudiness tonight and Friday morning clearing Friday afternoon. Westerly winds 25 today. Light westerly tomorrow. Colder.

Strait of Georgia—Cloudy with rain showers this morning clearing this afternoon. Clear Friday, Northwesterly winds 20. Colder.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Cloudy with rain showers today and Friday morning, clearing Friday afternoon. Northwesterly winds 30 today decreasing to northwesterly 20 tomorrow. Little change in temperature.

To 9 a.m. Today Min. Max. Precip.

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Toronto	41	55	0
North Bay	15	34	0
Thunder Bay	12	23	Trace
Kenora	11	29	Trace
Winnipeg	19	29	0
Brandon	14	29	0
Regina	11	30	0
Saskatoon	12	30	0
Edmonton	13	34	0
Swift Current	13	33	0
Lethbridge	12	42	Trace
Calgary	17	33	0
Kamloops	12	40	0
Penitentiary	35	41	0.02
Vancouver	46	44	.35
Victoria	49	49	0
Cranbrook	21	43	Trace
Crescent Valley	32	37	.30
Prince George	21	37	0
Seattle	46	48	1.02
Portland	50	53	.66
San Francisco	32	42	.69
Los Angeles	44	59	0
New York	38	71	0

## Distressed Tanker Believed In Tow

VANCOUVER (CP)—Home Oil Company officials here believe their tanker Dinamac, reported in distress late Wednesday night, is now being towed to Prince Rupert.

Officials were in touch with the 65-foot tanker by radio early today and were told she was in no immediate danger. At that time, she was drifting near White Rocks, 40 miles south of Prince Rupert, after breaking down in Beaver Passage.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

A special reduction in Cold Waves for a limited time only. Phone Maude Edwards of 1831 Bay, Esquimalt, and Gorge E 3413.

A salvage collection for James Bay, Esquimalt, and Gorge E 3413.

Announcing Specially—University Extension Association—Because of theatrical performances Shakespeare lecture by Dr. G. Sedgewick, scheduled Feb. 23, postponed to March 1. Victoria High School, subject, "Some Aspects of Shakespeare's Dramatic Art."

Annual ball, under the auspices of the officers and members of Mt. Newton Lodge, will be held in the Saanichton Agricultural Hall, Friday, Feb. 27. Len Acres Orchestra.

Alcoholics Anonymous — The alcoholic, as distinguished from a normal drinker, is a person who drinks even when he doesn't want to and knows he shouldn't. Such compulsive drinking causes unhappiness and ruins careers. If this is your problem, then you may obtain help—freely and confidentially. Apply Victoria Chapter, Alcoholics Anonymous, P.O. Box 1, Victoria, B.C.

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Camera time is here again. The Horseshoe News, 1231 Govt. St., has just received their season's stock of: Clix-De-Luxe, 4.95; Clix Supreme, 7.75; Clix-O-Flex, 7.75; Spartus Full Vue, 12.95; Trusite camera with flash, 12.95; Beacot camera with case, 16.90. Bring your films in to be developed. Horseshoe News, Govt. St., near Yates.

Chiropractor, W. J. Fraser, D.C.S.C., 201 Pemberton Bldg. B 3252.

Don't fail to hear Stan Marsh, (cornetist) of the Vancouver Citadel Band, on Saturday night, 8 p.m., at the Salvation Army Citadel, Johnson Street.

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## Derelict Sighted Near William Head

A derelict fishing vessel has been discovered off Pedder Bay, by the Dominion government William Head quarantine station, according to a report by W. L. Stamford, agent for the Department of Transport.

The vessel was first sighted

Wednesday by personnel at the quarantine station and was reported to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police detachment here which in turn reported it to the Department of Transport.

The fishing vessel, about 35 feet in length, is believed to be an old abandoned hulk from nearby Becher Bay which has been washed into the sea by the waves and floated around to Pedder Bay.

G. A. Yardley, receiver of wrecks, reported today the hulk would probably be left where it was.

## Firing Practice Off Macaulay Point

The 43rd H.A.A. Regt., R.C.A., and 5th B.C. Coast Regt., R.C.A., will carry out a 3.7-inch full charge firing practise from Macaulay point, Esquimalt, on Saturday and Sunday, March 13 and 14, according to an announcement issued today by B.C. area headquarters of the Canadian Army in Vancouver.

The hours of practise will be from 1 to 3.30 on the afternoon of March 13 and from 9 in the morning to 12 noon on March 14. The danger area will be the water area for 20,000 yards in the arc between Albert Head and Ogden Point breakwater.

Maj. C. H. Jervis-Read, officer commanding coast artillery, West Coast, R.C.A., Esquimalt, will act as director of practise.

L. W. E. Evans, 2710 Seaview Road, has protested to Mayor Percy George because he was fined for parking in a bus loading zone, when he claimed the signs marking the zone were not clearly displayed. He said that after his fine, the signs were moved to a more prominent position, justifying his claim for a rebate.

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Dandierine Hair Tonic	39c, 68c and 1.13
Brylcreem	29c and 49c
Halo Shampoo	29c and 49c
Deodorant	39c and 67c
Spann Tooth Paste	29c and 49c
Colgate's Dental Cream	25c and 40c
Forbans Tooth Paste	29c and 49c
Listerine Tooth Paste	29c and 45c
Listerine Tooth Powder	29c and 45c
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## Wolfit's Lear Proves Greatest Performance

By AUDREY ST.D. JOHNSON

The visit to Victoria of Donald Wolfit and his London company concluded Wednesday night with the presentation of "King Lear." It is easy to understand why "Lear" would have been the final night. To follow with anything else would have been an anti-climax!

The hours of practise will be

from 1 to 3.30 on the afternoon of

March 13 and from 9 in the

morning to 12 noon on March 14.

The danger area will be the

water area for 20,000 yards in

the arc between Albert Head and

Ogden Point breakwater.

It is easy also to understand

why "Lear" is not more frequently

done. No actor who had not great

strength and endurance — whose

art was not a broad, deep and pro-

foundly imaginative one — could

attempt the role. Those who witnessed

Donald Wolfit's "Lear" last night saw an epoch-making performance. It is useless to attempt to evaluate briefly, such artistry. The senility, the gradual destruction of the mind, the grief and passion grew from a seemingly inexhaustible inner reservoir of the spirit. The control of voice — challenging, deep-voiced, in "Blow, winds, and crack your cheeks"; broken and quavering in "What, have his daughters brought him to this pass?" — was phenomenal. There was no moment at which the picture was not complete and true.

UNION FOR EXPEDIENCY

Joanna Duncan rose to splendid proportions in the part of Goneril, speaking and moving with great power and effect. Her malice was a living thing. As evil, but more subtly so, was Josephine Wilson as Regan. The two clearly conveyed the impression of a sisterhood united not by loyalty or love but for expediency. The tenderness and sincerity of Cordelia was beautifully expressed by Rosalind Iden. She was most moving in her scene of reunion with Lear.

As Edmund, Michael Ingham was at his best, investigating the role with a smooth, treacherous

charm. Joseph Shear's Duke of Cornwall had power and revealed this actor as one of the most versatile in the company. As the fool, Frederick Peisley gave his finest performance. In it he captured all the nuance with which Shakespeare has filled the part; the pungent wisdom, the wry smile, the ineffable sadness. This was a portrait of mankind, its foolishness and intelligence, its courage and cowardice.

The Earl of Kent, played by

Robert Algar; Stanley Howlett's

Earl of Gloucester, David Dod-

man's Duke of Albany and Fred-

erick Horrey as Edgar, were all

memorable. Especially fine was

Frederick Horrey's work in the

scenes in which he feigns mad-

ness.

The sets were wonderfully ef-

fective with their impression of

strength and antiquity.

TWELFTH NIGHT

It is possible that Victoria has never seen a Shakespearean

comedy better produced and per-

formed than the Wolfit Com-

pany's "Twelfth Night." This was Wednesday's matinee presen-

tation.

The breathless tempos, the pre-

cision and minute timing swept

the play along in a sustained

mood of merriment and the audi-

ence into frequent displays of

unrestrained enthusiasm.

The swift movement was fur-

ther aided by the clever adaptation of

an old form of setting. Stylized

interpretations of gardens, in-

terior and building facades were

painted alternately on the various

sides of three-fold screens.

Donald Wolfit as Malvolio pre-

sented an exquisitely studied and

manered portrait. The elo-

quence of his hands in the slight-

est gestures told as much of the

man as his lips could do. The

letter-reading scene in the garden

was a masterpiece of mime, com-

edy and timing.

In this matter of mime, the

whole cast were not only facile

but brilliant. They played with

a verve and their action had such

a clean economy of outline that

it scarcely needed the interpreta-

tion of words.

New Appointment

Mr. H. T. Peters, now with the resources

department at Vancouver, had

been appointed superintendent of

Canadian Immigration at Hong-

Kong and will go there within

the next two months. Wives and

children of Canadian citizens of

Chinese descent will start to

come here as soon as he gets to

Hong Kong and can investigate,

it was reported.

It was reported that H. T.

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## TIGHTENING THE SCREWS

**G**REAT BRITAIN, THE UNITED STATES and France have jointly condemned the Communist coup in Czechoslovakia, but when the London, Washington and Paris governments describe Moscow's latest move as the establishment of a "disguised dictatorship" in Prague they are obviously making a concession to diplomatic phraseology. Most disciples of the gospel according to the Kremlin assuredly are hailing the new extension of the "Iron Curtain" as another triumph over the "capitalist-monopolist-reactionary" forces of the western world. And it is highly probable that Messrs. Attlee, Truman and Schuman are privately calling the event by its proper name.

While this is being written we are told that tonight in Prague there is to be a "great display of force" of the National Security Corps, including all branches of the Czechoslovak police, intended to give the people a chance to express their gratitude to the police for the security they maintained throughout the crisis." This announcement has the same ring as those which emanated from the office of the Herr Doktor Goebbels when Adolf Hitler "went home" to Austria—by the Anschluss route—almost ten years ago. To all intents and purposes, of course, the scheduled demonstration has been arranged to impress upon the people of the once happy and contented independent sovereign state of Czechoslovakia that henceforward such liberty as they may be allowed to enjoy will be by the grace of a totalitarian administration which is about to impose minority rule on the majority of the population.

In this latter regard, incidentally, the world is informed that the next goal of the Communists is to win the coming election and to obtain a majority in Parliament—where at present they can count noses to the extent of no more than 38 per cent. The date of the "appeal to the people" has yet to be set. It is reported, however, that the voters will be given a choice of several tickets, but that candidates on those other than the Communist will have to be "Democratic Progressive" members. In other words, unless all the signs and portents are woefully illusory, those who have the courage to vote against or manifest their antipathy to rule on the Moscow pattern will probably run the risk of early "liquidation" in the familiar totalitarian fashion.

While there will be no disposition anywhere to try to read into the developments in Czechoslovakia a prospect whose grimness may not be wholly warranted by the unfolding circumstances, it is not fiction to say that this former independent and liberty-loving Republic is now included in the roster of those eastern European states economically dominated and politically controlled by the Soviet Union. Romania, Bulgaria, Poland, Hungary, Yugoslavia—with a joint population of approximately 72,000,000 souls and possessing important natural resources and immense strategic value—already are in the Communist net. How long Finland will be able to withstand the familiar technique of the Kremlin is a matter for conjecture. So far France and Italy, the western strongholds of the Moscow philosophy, have succeeded in dealing more or less effectively with those elements within their territorial confines who would exchange their own and their more liberal compatriots' liberty for despotic rule.

What effect the joint protest of the three western democracies will have on the Politburo in the Russian capital remains to be seen. At this juncture, nevertheless, it will appear to many people that one of the most effective means of countering the Soviet Union's carefully-planned battle against the "Marshall Plan"—of which the Czechoslovakian "incident" is an important move—is for the United States to implement its provisions with all possible dispatch. More food in France, Italy, and in the bizonal part of Germany could be a potent weapon against further western extensions of the "Iron Curtain."

## EMBARRASSING SUPPORT

**T**HE ENTHUSIASM WITH WHICH THE Communists, in the guise of the Labor-Progressive Party, are trying to snuggle under the C.C.P. banner, is matched only by the painfully evident lack of that feeling with which the followers of Mr. Coldwell and Mr. Winch view the manoeuvre. But it seems that the far-left support which embarrassed the Socialist stalwarts in the recent Saanich and Cariboo by-elections is going to be continued into the future—at least as long as it suits the plans of the Stalinists to give their pretence an appearance of credibility.

In this connection it is interesting to notice a significant similarity of wording in post-election statements issued by both parties. Mr. Harold Winch, speaking for the C.C.P., opines that the government victory in both the Cariboo and Saanich constituencies was won through use of "the most glittering display of promises I have seen in many years." Mr. Nigel Morgan, for the L.P.P., sees the C.C.P. loss as due to "wild,

unprincipled Coalition promises." Both leaders, however, seek to sound a note of hope for their followers. Mr. Winch reiterates belief that "our growing electoral support gives evidence of ultimate success at the polls," while Mr. Morgan, not willing to go quite so far out on the C.C.P. limb now that the exigencies of electioneering are over for the moment, puts the sentiment in a negative aspect by saying that "the greatly increased C.C.P. vote in Saanich and Cariboo clearly reflects the growing opposition to the anti-labor, price-gouging policies of the Johnson-Anscomb government"—about as comfortable a way as any of viewing a sound trouncing at the polls.

The announcement that Mr. Tim Buck, national leader of the L.P.P., will visit British Columbia and speak on the subject "A C.C.P. Government for Canada" was made public, by strange coincidence, on the same day that the provincial leaders issued their comments. One may imagine the feelings of Mr. Coldwell as he views Mr. Buck's peregrinations in support of such a topic. For appreciative as the C.C.P. chief may be of kind words in favor of his party, he will be more fearful that their source will imbue them with qualities more harmful than good. He may well recall the anecdote of the Scottish football fan who from the sidelines admonished an awkward member of the home team: "Come off, Jock; come off and strengthen the team." Or again, musing on the strange expediencies which result in unwanted political bedfellows, he may be inclined to entreat, with Shakespeare's Hermia in "A Midsummer Night's Dream," "Lie further off yet, do not lie so near."

## LACK OF COHESION

**W**ITH MUNICIPALITIES FACING MANY problems in common—problems which arise from growing populations, from the inability to keep pace with physical needs during the war, and from mounting costs for essential work—the desirability of combined action and the development of community consciousness among those in close proximity appears more necessary than it has ever been. Under these circumstances it would seem logical to expect a district of 100,000 people to work in closer concert than they might under conditions which created no difficulties.

For this reason it is discouraging to note the lack of unity among the municipalities which make up Greater Victoria. The attitude of outside districts to the Memorial Arena is a case in point. Here is an undertaking which will be of benefit to the entire region. Here is a worthwhile edifice which could represent a worthy tribute to those who enlisted from all parts of the Greater Victoria district. Yet the suggestion from the city that Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt manifest their interest in the building in tangible form has drawn negative replies.

Admittedly, the surrounding municipalities face difficulties in the year ahead. Taxes can scarcely be held at their present levels. But outside reaction to the Arena manifests once more a parochial vision.

This is not a constructive approach to the future. Should the occasion arise when application has to be made to senior governments for assistance, it would, as we have argued frequently in these columns, have greater strength if the request were advanced on behalf of 100,000 people, not on behalf of a fraction of that amount represented in each municipal entity. Yet to have cohesion, a closer approximation to partnership is needed between the different members of the Greater Victoria family.

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## Global Scholarships

By PETER EDSON From Washington

**T**HE WORLD'S GREATEST EXPERIMENT in international cultural cooperation is about to roll. The sponsor is, of course, old Uncle Sam himself, operating under what's known as the Fulbright Act.

The program is of interest to at least 35,000 American students and teachers who know about and have applied for opportunities to pursue higher learning or teach the American way of life in foreign countries. Thousands more are expected to apply for these benefits as the program is expanded. And more thousands of foreign scholars, wanting to study in the U.S., will likewise be brought into the picture later on.

**F**OR THE FISCAL YEAR beginning next July 1, it is hoped that grants totaling \$4,000,000 can be made available to some 2,000 American and foreign students. The average grant will be about \$2,000 a year, but individual grants may vary from \$1,000 to \$10,000.

When the program is in full operation some 4,000 grants a year may be made at a cost of \$7,000,000. The exchange of students and teachers will continue for 20 years, at a total outlay of \$140,000,000. In all, 23 countries are expected to take part.

It has taken a year and a half to set up the complicated machinery and start the wheels turning. The original idea came from Arkansas' Senator J. W. Fulbright. As a young man, he was a Rhodes scholar at Oxford University, England. His new program makes the Rhodes scholarship business look like peanuts.

**T**HE MONEY TO FINANCE this huge educational and cultural exchange comes from the sale of U.S. surplus war material in foreign countries where Americans walked off and left it. Since the purchasing countries don't have dollars to pay for the goods they bought, a way had to be found to spend the local currency in each country. Senator Fulbright proposed that a part of this money be made available to aid American scholars in foreign countries and foreigners wanting to study here.

Agreements covering this exchange have already been signed with China and Burma. Negotiations with the Philippines, Egypt, Greece, Iran, Italy, The Netherlands and Great Britain are now being concluded. Others will come in later.

**T**HE JOB OF SELECTING the American students, professors, research specialists and professional experts who will receive these grants is just beginning. It has been turned over to three non-governmental agencies by the President's 10-man Board of Foreign Scholarships, under Francis Spaulding, New York commissioner of education in tangible form has drawn negative replies.

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Being a scientist doesn't mean one can understand politics. There is no reason why the opinion of a scientist is any better than any other man's when it comes to politics.

—Dr. Carl F. Cori, Nobel prize winner, de-

## 'One At A Time, Boys!'



## Vandenberg's Work On E.R.P.

By JAMES THRASHER From New York

**S**EN. ARTHUR H. VANDENBERG deserves a big share of credit for the present health of the European Recovery Program. Whatever the future fights that E.R.P. must face, the Michigan Republican's part has been almost as important as Secretary Marshall's in steering the plan thus far.

Perhaps Mr. Vandenberg's most notable achievement has been to get E.R.P. approved by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, of which he is chairman. But this is only the climax of several months' work.

## WATCHDOGS

The foreign relations group set up a separate administration for E.R.P. with a committee of congressional watchdogs in the background. Originally, Secretary Marshall fought this separation. But the White House and State Department withdrew their objections upon Vandenberg's persuasion.

## STOCK BOomed

This very renunciation, however, has boomed Mr. Vandenberg's political stock. There is now talk of the Republicans naming a Vandenberg-Stassen ticket, though the senator has not publicly encouraged such talk.

The Senate committee's third change in the original proposal was more elaboration than alteration. It suggested a union of western European nations, and inserted a clause that would end American aid if any of the E.R.P. governments went Communistic.

In all this, as we have said, Senator Vandenberg's handiwork is evident. There seem to be

two reasons for his success. One of them undoubtedly is his personal prestige. The second reason is that Mr. Vandenberg has virtually withdrawn from partisan politics in the last few months, not that he is an easy trick in an election year. Yet he wisely saw that, if E.R.P. were to be put through a Republican Congress this year, it would have to be done by someone who renounced personal ambition and avoided political issues raised for politics' sake.

Of course the new government which has been thrust upon Benes by Communist Premier Klement Gottwald is composed chiefly of Bolsheviks. Gottwald himself is one of the world's leading Communists. He was one of the 10 ranking Reds who signed the declaration "dissolving" the Comintern—or general staff for world revolution—in 1943 to allay the hostility of the democratic world.

**IMPORTANT DICTATOR**

Gottwald now becomes one of the most important dictators of the day, for Czechoslovakia itself is vastly more important than its size would indicate. Lying as it does in the heart of central Europe it has great strategic value, both politically and militarily. It has large industrial development and it is rich in natural resources.

Apropos of this, Foreign Minister Bidault of France said yesterday that his government is gravely concerned over the crisis in Czechoslovakia as a threat to peace, because of that country's location as a key point of Europe. No wonder Hitler was anxious to control Czechoslovakia as a stepping stone to conquest.

**CLIPPED at RANDOM**

## REVISE THE VERDICTS

Montreal Star

The East Indians and their once-so-vocal supporters in the United States who spent so long a time angrily denouncing British imperialism will now discover that India is a country which on occasion requires the use of special measures of government and often in forms not nearly so enlightened or so humane as the processes usual in a thoroughly enlightened western democracy.

Let us then reconsider the crude verdicts passed upon British tyranny in India. Let us revise them in the light of the similar actions which the Indian leaders themselves are now finding necessary.

**DISCOVERING THE CLASSICS**

J. Compton in the BBC London Letter

"For a boy or girl—perhaps for anybody—the best approach to a classic is, as it were, by a happy chance, a glorious inadvertence without any smut of solemnity, and having started, to proceed to the enjoyment of an adventure which begins by being private and afterwards cannot be contained and must be shared. It doesn't matter a bit for the boy that this is a classic on which a library of commentary has been written. He must be allowed to make his own honest and firsthand discoveries about it, and in particular of its power to stimulate, evoke and delight. It will have for him great power or none. If none, then let him have done with it—no pedagogy will avail."

## Look To Canada For Dollar Help

Australian News Letter

AUSTRALIAN Trade Commissioners in the United States and Canada are preparing surveys of Australian trade prospects in the North American market for the immediate future. The governments of both these countries have pledged their support for an Australian dollar earning drive. Surveys will be completed in time for the next meeting of the Federal Export Advisory Committee in Melbourne this month. The committee has surveyed all fields of Australian production to determine which commodities might

be added to the export list. Manufacturers' representatives are now investigating to what extent their goods can be diverted for export and government experts are estimating the effect on the domestic market. It is expected that a definite dollar-earning plan can be prepared. This plan will then be put before Prime Minister J. B. Chifley and Minister for Commerce Reginald T. Pollard, who are now responsible for Australia's dollar trade policy.

Secretary of the Australian Exporters' Federation, Arthur J.

Birch, said recently that goods which Australia would probably sell to Canada and the United States included worsted suiting, blankets, high-class knitwear, sheepskin products, fertilizer, crocodile and kangaroo skins, opals, pearls and pearl shell, veneers and other kinds of wood. Large quantities of sporting goods and wine would probably be sold in Canada. There were many more factories in Australia now than before the war, especially those making woolen worsteds. These factories would soon be used to supply large quantities for overseas.

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**Saudi Arabian Airport Vital To  
West's Current Near East Plans**

(Daniel de Luce, veteran Associated Press correspondent and Pulitzer Prize winner, is in the strategic Middle East to report on Arab nationalism, politics and oil. This dispatch is from Saudi Arabia.)

By DANIEL DE LUCE  
DAHARAN, Saudi Arabia (AP) — It's 950 miles as a bomber flies from this American super-supertanker base on the Persian Gulf to Russia's vital oil field at Baku.

On splendid runways of crushed rock almost 1½ miles long, the B-29s that never flew in combat in Europe now come to rest almost daily after training hops non-stop from Germany.

Their bomb racks are empty, but guns poke from metal blisters on their silver fuselage.

From central Europe all the way to the Orient, Dhahran ranks first in strategic importance to the United States Air Force. Superfort pilots are getting to know the terrain under Russia's belly like the palm of their hand.

No American military man responsible for the defense of his country underestimates the current value of the friendship of Ibn Saud, Saudi Arabia's formidable king, who made the air base at Dhahran possible.

It originally was planned as a way-stop for U.S. aircraft transferring from the European theater to Russia. The original plan was to rest almost daily after training hops non-stop from Germany.

tre to carry on the war against Japan.

Because of the determination of high American officers in the Middle East, it was carried to completion in March, 1946, six months after Japan had surrendered. By the terms of a wartime agreement with Ibn Saud it is under United States control until April 1, 1949.

After that?

The future of the Dhahran field, reported to have cost \$5,000,000, largely depends on the international relations of the United States and the Arab world.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A robber bound Hugh Wohlers with shoelaces in his shoe store then took \$60 from the safe. Wohlers said he managed to knock a telephone on the floor, dialed "operator" with his nose, called for help.

**I.T.U. Cannot Halt  
Taft-Hartley Suit**

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Judge Luther M. Swygert today ruled against the International Typographical Union (A.F.L.) in its effort to block a Taft-Hartley injunction filed against it.

The judge denied the union's motion to dismiss the petition for an injunction filed by the office of Robert N. Denham, general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board.

Judge Swygert announced he would hold a hearing March 3 on the injunction petition.

Accused asked for the remand to be available until Friday to determine when he said a lawyer would not find him.

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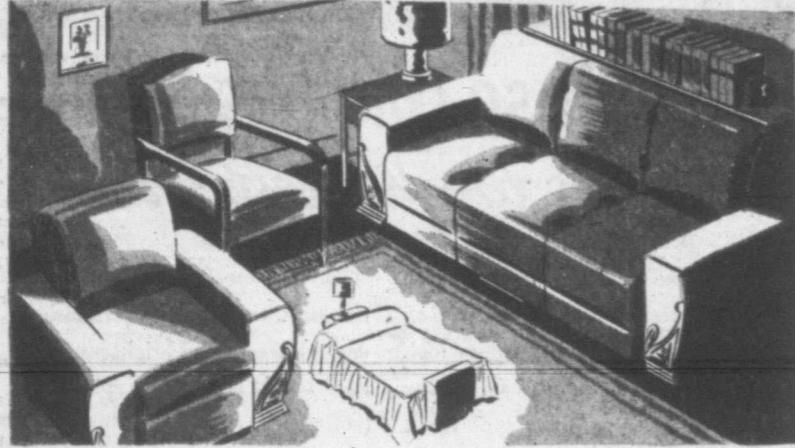
The Annual Meeting of the Victoria Unit of the British Columbia Branch, Canadian Cancer Society, will be held on Monday, March 8, at 8 p.m., in the auditorium of Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., 1616 Blanshard Street, Victoria, B.C.

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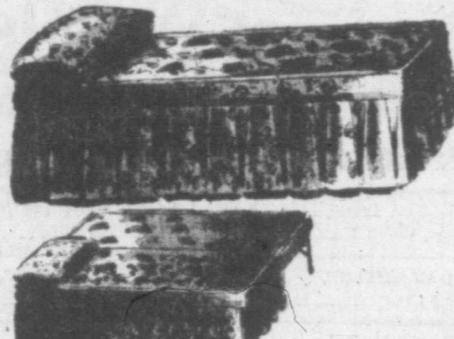
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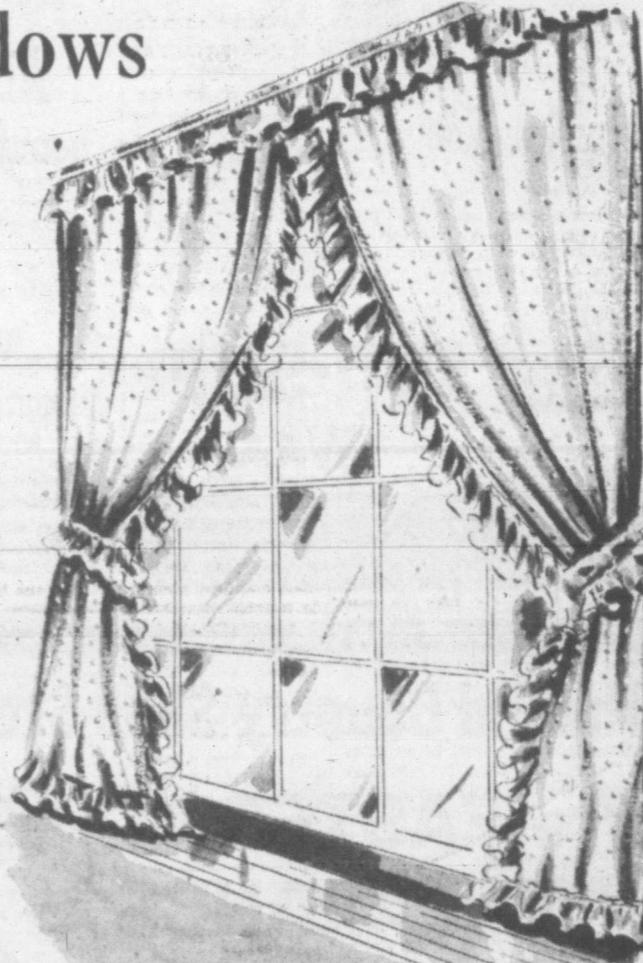
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## Communism, Price Controls, Need For Trans-Canada Road, Subjects Of M.P.'s

OTTAWA (CP)—Communism, the need for a Trans-Canada highway, and the necessity for the reimposition of price controls all were discussed in the Commons Wednesday, but an expected division prior to resumption of the Throne Speech debate provided the highlight of the short, midweek sitting.

In the division, the government squeezed through with its narrowest majority of this Parliament when it defeated the opposition 103 to 98 on a motion of D. King Hazen, P.C., St. John-Albert, N.B., for production of certain Canadian National Railways documents pertaining to the movement of Canadian goods through ports of the Maritime Provinces.

The government would not have been unseated if it had lost the division, but it would have proved embarrassing and likely would have led to con-

certed opposition efforts to defeat the government at the earliest opportunity.

### MUST STAY NEARBY

However, divisions on Wednesdays are an exception and members on both sides were absent. It is possible all parties will ask their members to stay close to the Commons whether or not a vote is expected. In a full House, the government has a majority of about eight seats, but it can usually count on the votes of some independents to extend that margin slightly.

In the Throne speech debate, J. M. Dechene, Lib., Athabasca-Alta., said he wished to urge writers and others not to "lead an ear" to Communists and others ready to destroy the institutions and type of government Canada now had.

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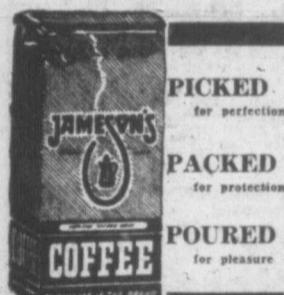
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Mrs. Mary E. Stofer, pictured above with her two sons, R. G. Stofer of Victoria, left, and W. J. Stofer of Oroville, Calif., leaves for her home in London, England, on Friday. Mrs. Stofer traveled to Canada by plane in July, last year, with the idea of living with her son here, whom she had not seen for 35 years, but the pull of home has been too much for this bright-eyed little lady of 86 years, and she has decided to go back to England. W. J. Stofer, who had not seen his mother for 38 years, came from California to spend some time with her. A sister, Mrs. N. Neal of Crescent City, Calif., also visited Mrs. Stofer in Victoria. The sisters had not seen each other for over 30 years.

**Unified Canada Becoming A Reality, Willard Ireland Says**

"There have been more and more indications in the last few years of greater unification in Canada," said Willard Ireland in his talk Wednesday evening at the February meeting of the University Women's Club.

"Therefore," he continued, "we must emphasize the parallels, the likenesses, in Canadian histories and cultures rather than the differences. Then we can apply this same method to international affairs, and strengthen world unity by stressing national similarities rather than the least common multiple."

In his remarks Mr. Ireland pointed out similarities in discovery and settlement in British Columbia and eastern developments. He maintained that there had been a tendency to think of the dominion, as separate, isolated sections.

"But during the war," he pointed out, "men in the services received training in all parts of Canada, and due to this constant

traveling got much better acquainted with the rest of their country. This Canadian migration, or traveling to other parts of the dominion, should be continued."

He recommended for reading a lecture given by Louis St. Laurent, published in pamphlet form, which had been given in the first of a series of lectures endowed by an Ontario boy killed in the airforce, who left his estate to the

by the way.

"In mathematical terms," Mr. Ireland summarized, "it is a question of stressing the highest common factor rather than the least common multiple."

In the discussion which followed the talk, members of the most

effective ways of developing a

feeling for Canada is to encourage people to stay with families in other parts of Canada.

Though necessity for bilingualism is of great importance, it is not an end in itself, but rather a means to better understanding of ideas and attitudes of those who speak a different language.

Business during the meeting included the passing of a resolution that a letter of thanks be sent to Minister of Trade and Commerce C. D. Howe, for action taken with regard to undesirable literature.

The club was unanimous in voting to give a complete list of club members supporting the Canadian Appeal for children.

In the absence of Mrs. W. L. Price, Mrs. Harold Turner presided at the meeting.

## Personal Notes

Mrs. J. Anderson has returned to her home in Victoria after spending several days on Salt Spring Island, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Overend, Ganges Harbor.

Among out-of-town visitors who will come to Victoria on the week-end to attend the concert of the Victoria Symphony Society on Monday evening at the Royal Theatre will be Mrs. B. T. Rogers, Vancouver.

Mrs. D. Humphries was hostess yesterday evening at her home, 3365 Quadra Street, following the basketball game between Y.M.C.A. Senior A team and K.V.C.'s, when guests were members of the Y.M.C.A. team, of which Mr. Humphries is manager, and their friends.

Members of the women's committee of the Victoria Symphony Society will entertain the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra at a reception in the Y.W.C.A., following the concert Monday evening at the Royal Theatre. Mrs. Eila Mayhew, who heads the committee, is in charge of all arrangements.

Last Monday evening, following the final session of the five-week Red Cross housekeeping class that had been held in the Despard Avenue home of Dr. Olga Jardine, a presentation was made to the leader, Miss Muriel Johnson, from members of the Home Emergency Service and from the housekeepers. Miss Johnson, home economics teacher at Victoria High School, led the classes as an extra-curricular activity.

On the occasion of their seventh wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eaton entertained a few friends at their Ganges Harbor home on Salt Spring Island. The rooms were decorated with ferns and early spring flowers. Cards were enjoyed during the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hurde, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Crofton, Mrs. E. Lockwood, Mrs. D. K. Crofton, Misses Denise and Dulcie Crofton and Mr. John Hall.

**Mrs. J. F. T. Saywell Again Heads Stanley Gordon Chapter**

At the annual meeting of the Stanley Gordon Chapter, I.O.D.E. at Lake Cowichan Monday evening, Mrs. J. F. T. Saywell, who has held the office of regent since the first regent left the district, was again named regent by acclamation. In appreciation of her work, Mrs. Saywell was presented with a corsage bouquet by Mrs. Harry Dreany.

Other officers for 1948 will be Mrs. J. H. Boyd, first vice-regent; Mrs. Harry Dreany, second vice-regent; Mrs. Allan Anderson, secretary; Mrs. James P. Allan, treasurer; Mrs. Arthur Howe, standard bearer. Educational and echoes secretaries are Miss Bertha Fowler and Mrs. J. E. M. Hewlett. Conveners are Mrs. C. W. Mewhort, sunshine; Mrs. Fred Reid, post war, with two sub-conveners; Miss Mary Greenfield, social welfare; Mrs. Joseph Mervick, tea convener; Mrs. David Madill and Mrs. Anderson, united organizations representatives.

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In the annual report it was stated that "The Stanley Gordon Chapter, which was formed one and one-half years ago, and has only 26 members, many of whom belong to other organizations in the district, has accomplished a

**Soft Blue Crepe Gown Chosen For Wedding**

A model gown of delph blue crepe was chosen by Phyllis, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil C. Annett, 2529 Bowker Place, for her marriage Monday to Jack Austin Frumento, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Frumento, 2362 Pacific Avenue. Dr. Hugh A. McLeod officiated at the ceremony in the vestry of First United Church Monday.

The bride's dress was fashioned with softly draped bodice, and peplum, and she wore a grey off-the-face model hat with grey suede accessories. She carried a sheaf of red roses. Mr. Annett gave his daughter in marriage.

Miss Ruth Reid, the bride's only attendant, chose a dress of blush rose crepe, featuring cap sleeves and side peplums. She wore a Juliet cap to match and wine suede accessories with white hyacinth en corsage.

The groom was attended by his father.

Immediate relatives of the young couple gathered at a dinner party following the ceremony.

On their return from a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Frumento will make their home at Suite 4, Trafalgar Apartments, Esquimalt.

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## Annual Dinner, Ex-B.C. Telephone Operators



Memories of days when a telephone exchange hummed with the much-repeated words, "Number please," brought reminiscent smiles to the faces of members of the Ex-B.C. Telephone Operators' Club, who gathered recently in Lougheed's Banquet Hall for a reunion dinner. Left to right, seated at the head table, were Miss Vera Wood, Mrs. Iva Baines, Mrs. Sarah Lenfest, Mrs. Dolly Woods, Mrs. Vera Ford, Vancouver; Mrs. E. Reston, Mrs. Marion Robertson, Mrs. Tina Ord, Mrs. Becky Haines, Mrs. Gladys Graham, Mrs. Viola Arthur. In the foreground, left to right, Mrs. R. Danes, Miss M. Lloyd and Miss Anne Hammert.

**Canadian Daughters Celebrate Birthday**

Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, celebrated its 24th birthday last Tuesday evening in the Business and Professional Women's clubrooms. Three charter members, Mrs. R. H. McInnes, Mrs. Aileen Stinson and Mrs. Gertrude Ralston, presided at the ceremony of lighting candles on a birthday cake, which occupied a place of honor on a table, decorated in league colors, green, red and gold.

Birthday greetings were received from Mrs. C. Porteous, Spokane, a former member of the league.

Films of Alaska, Victoria and Vancouver Island were shown by Mrs. Muriel Taylor.

During the evening a patched shirt, each patch containing a donation to the Shower of Dimes fund, was presented to Mrs. A. W. E. Pitkethly, convener of the drive.

During 1947 work included sending of food parcels to adopted families in Britain, including a \$10 donation made at the annual meeting. A bridge tea was held, and several donations have been received.

Miss Mary Greenfield, district nurse, is in charge of a fund, started by a donation of \$25, to be used for social welfare work in the community or as a basis for a bursary fund.

Mrs. J. J. Tanner, convener of the novel idea, opened the first patch and after all were opened a sum of \$43 was realized.

Next executive meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. P. Maundrell, 156 Maddock Avenue on March 4.

**Successful Sale** — Speedwell Circle reported at the regular meeting of King's Daughters that a sum of \$101 was made at a rummage sale. Activities of the Ready-to-Help Circle included admission services for a new wing of St. Joseph's Hospital. Miss J. Roberts, Mrs. A. M. Perry, Mrs. L. H. Hardie and Miss W. Russell were appointed delegates to the Local Council of Women. An opening tea to be held in the new rooms will take place of the annual daffodil tea this year.

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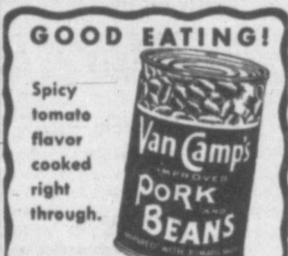
**Youth Chooses Year's Favorites**

HOLLYWOOD AP) — The Bobby Soxers of America have spoken, or maybe screamed.

Their choices for the most popular actor and actress of 1947, they disclosed today, are Gregory Peck and Rosalind Russell. And their favorite funnyman is Jack Benny.

And listen to this: Peck was selected "because of his intelligence, loyalty to his fans and his acting ability," Miss Russell because of her "dynamic achievements as an actress, her fervent Americanism and her ability to successfully conduct a career and a home."

New Hall—At a meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Belmont United Church Tuesday afternoon it was reported that the new hall will be opened March 5, and ladies will serve lunch during the social evening which will mark the occasion. It was decided to take a collection at each meeting of the auxiliary for the "Save the Children" Fund. The auxiliary has assumed responsibility for the expense of printing the church calendar. Mrs. C. Hodges presided at the meeting and Mrs. C. R. McEliverty led in the devotional.

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**Presbyterian W.M.S. In Annual Sessions**

Speaking at the Wednesday evening session of the 34th annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Miss S. White gave a resume of women's missionary society work in British Columbia and overseas.

In vivid word pictures she told of work of 10 deaconesses serving in the church in Canada and of special welfare work among newcomers in the country.

Miss White spoke enthusiastically of increased interest shown during the past year in young people's groups.

"It is a direct challenge," she said, "to senior groups to keep their interest stimulated and alive."

John Davey, Worldwide Evangelization Crusade, showed colored slides and gave a running commentary of life and work in Dominica, British West Indies.

Mr. Davey stressed the importance of Christian reading matter being always available to the natives to combat Communism, propaganda, "which is very prevalent."

At the evening session, greetings were brought from St. Andrew's Church by Rev. J. L. W. McLean and from the Presbytery by Rev. T. H. McAllister. During the evening by Kay Paulin was guest soloist. Mrs. E. H. Dann gave the corresponding secretary's report.

Opening prayers were given by Dr. J. R. Johns and the dedication by Rev. Alex Orr. Devotional at both afternoon and evening sessions were given by Mrs. R. S. Stevens, Duncan.

**AFTERNOON REPORTS**

Recording secretary's report, given by Mrs. D. A. MacDonald, showed \$70.25 raised by St. An-



draws at a silver tea in the spring; \$118.13 sent by the Chinese group to the Evangelistic Fund in Manchuria; a doubled donation of \$20 given by the Duncan group and an increased membership of 17 had donated \$44.30 in cash and \$4 for supplies; collected \$15 for Chinese relief and sent \$25 to a Chinese orphanage.

Girls' Organizations secretary, Mrs. A. K. Young, stated that three new groups were formed during the year at Erskine, St. Andrew's and in the Chinese Presbyterian Churches. There was a total enrollment of 40, she said, and \$90 had been given to the Presbytery treasurer.

Miss Gertrude Scott, Chinese work secretary, said a continued growth was shown during the year.

**Clubwomen's News**

**Anniversary Meeting** — At the February meeting of the Past Mistress Association of the L.O.B.A. an invitation was accepted to attend the anniversary meeting of Orange Lily No. 109, L.O.B.A., Nanaimo. A letter of thanks was read from the matron of the Loyal Protestant Home for Children at New Westminster, acknowledging parcels of clothing sent by members. Following the meeting Mrs. J. Hopkins, at whose home the meeting was held, gave a monologue entitled "The Other Wise Man." Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. R. Cook, Mrs. C. Crawford and Mrs. O. Bradshaw.

**Founder's Day** — Adelaide Hoodless, founder of Women's Institutes in Canada, was remembered at the Langford Women's Institute meeting last Tuesday in the Institute Hall. Members and friends were presented with tiny artificial pink rosebud corsages, favorite color of Mrs. Hoodless. These favors were made by Mrs. J. W. Skinner. A pink birthday cake centred the refreshment table where Mrs. L. Horner and Mrs. E. C. Stewart presided as hostesses. Miss L. M. A. Savory conducted the meeting and gave a report of a recent Local Council conference. A sum of \$5 was voted to the Solarium Shower of Dimes and \$5 to the Institute Memorial Fund.

**Lodge Tea** — Members of Victoria Purple Star Lodge No. 104, L.O.B.A. held a successful tea recently in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company. Guests were received by Mrs. L. Cassidy, who convened the affair. During the afternoon vocal selections were given by Mrs. J. Hooker and Mrs. S. McIlveen. Assisting in serving were Mrs. N. Russell, Mrs. M. Young, Mrs. G. Mersereau, Mrs. E. Bell, Mrs. C. McKay, Mrs. V. Keatley and Mrs. E. King.

**Club Calendar**

Christ Church Cathedral Chiro Fellowship, musical evening tonight at 8, Memorial Hall. United Church Women's Missionary Society Presbytery, First United Church.

**Reorganization** — Loyal Group of Metropolitan United Church met at the home of Mrs. J. T. Taylor for the purpose of reorganization. Officers elected were Mrs. J. T. Taylor, president; Mrs. R. M. Lindsay, vice-president; Mrs. M. V. McCurdy, secretary; Mrs. W. L. Smith, treasurer; Mrs. F. G. Cole, social convener; Mrs. F. J. Lindsay and Mrs. J. G. Fox, visiting conveners, and Mrs. E. B. Jones, press. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Cole and Mrs. R. M. Lindsay. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. G. Fox, 2218 Brighton Avenue.

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## Victoria War Amputations Group Says \$12 Increase Not Enough

Proposed increase of \$12 a month, in the basic rate of pension, for totally disabled veterans, with a corresponding increase for dependents, widows and orphans and also for those of lesser than total disability, does not meet present requirements, members of the War Amputations of Canada, Victoria Branch, stated following a meeting here.

They discussed a brief prepared and presented to the government, Jan. 21, by the National Council of Veteran Associations, of which the War Amputations of Canada is a member. The brief set forth statement of claim for increased pensions for disabled ex-servicemen.

"It is the War Amputations sincere conviction that an increase of \$25 a month in the basic rate of pensions is not an exorbitant request," members stated, referring to the government's announcement of an increase retroactive to October, 1947, of about 16 per cent, or an additional \$12 in the basic rate.

"Costs have been steadily rising since the beginning of the Second World War, at which time the War Amputations resolved that no requests for betterment would be made to the government during the war, but now the disabled veteran finds he is sorely in need of increased pension, which is acknowledged by the recent announcement of the government."

### SET IN 1924

In a statement following the meeting the Victoria Branch traced the history of the present request for increased pensions:

"The present basic rate of pensions was set in 1924, whereby a single totally disabled veteran received \$75 a month.

"It has always been understood that this amount was based on his loss of ability to earn on the open labor market, at laboring work, not on special qualifications such as professional or clerical following. At the time in question, the laboring rate was roughly \$75 a month, but this did not prevent the pensioner from pursuing other gainful occupation to supplement his income. In fact, the government gave assurance that other earn-

ings would not be considered or detracted in any way from the pension being paid.

"The War Amputations meeting in Dominion convention at Vancouver in September, 1947, passed a resolution strongly urging the government to increase the total disability pension from \$75 to \$100 a month, which is a basic supported by all other veterans organizations.

"This claim is based on the fact that existing laboring wages are at least \$130 a month, which is obviously necessary in present times to purchase the services and goods required for a decent living.

"It may be pointed out that a good many disabled men are able to pursue steady employment while receiving pensions, which fact should be to their credit, as in most cases these men are forced to give up or do less work at a much earlier age than would be necessary were they physically fit."

### News of the Island

## 13-Mill Tax Boost Seen If School Estimates Approved

COURTENAY — A tentative tax rate of 53 mills, compared with the present 40 mill rate was seen as a possibility here, when the School Board of District No. 71, said they could not see their way clear toward reducing the \$188,079 budget, and that Courtenay's share will remain at \$34,080, or roughly 19 per cent.

The board's decision followed a lengthy meeting with Courtenay city council on the question of the city's share of the 1948 school estimates.

The figure represents an increase of \$11,017 over the city's share of 1947, and if accepted would mean a 13 1/2 mill jump in the tax rate. Acceptance or rejection will be given at council meeting Monday night.

If anything the board has estimated each item on the conservative side," Trustee A. J. Yalor told the meeting as he said the board had been unable to reduce one item.

## 7-Year-Old Saves Younger Brother

ALBERNI — A seven-year-old boy, Victor Grohowsky, saved his five-year-old brother, Robert, from drowning in Kitsukis Creek Wednesday, after the younger boy had slipped and fell into the swirling water, while the two were trying to find their dog.

They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Grohowsky and suffered from shock and exhaustion. Both boys were carried a considerable distance before they managed to cling to some shrubs and wade ashore. Victor plunged into the creek after his brother, fully clothed.

## Influenza Ravages Sidney School

SIDNEY — Closing of Sidney school has been considered by school authorities, owing to the number of influenza cases, but no action has yet been taken.

It was reported that influenza of a particularly sudden type had attacked almost a quarter of the children at the school and three of the six teachers.

## Nanaimo Eagles Give \$1,000 For Hospital

NANAIMO — Warren Huddleston, president of Nanaimo Eagles Lodge presented a \$1,000 check to Tip Bertram, chairman of the Nanaimo Lions Club campaign, in aid of Nanaimo Hospital.

Presentation was made at a noon-hour ceremony at the Eagles' home. The donation brought campaign funds to date to \$6,500. The drive is expected to conclude Saturday and at the present time, city canvassers are completing second calls throughout various blocks. David Tom reported great progress in the canvas of the city's Chinese residents.

## Chemainus Legion Discuss New Hall

CHEMAINUS — Plans for a new hall and various forms of war memorials were discussed at a meeting of the Chemainus Branch of the Canadian Legion, at which F. Bonde presided.

Two transfers and five applications for membership were received. It was decided to hold a smoker Saturday, with war veterans from Chemainus, Duncan and Ladysmith invited.

## Division Plan To Be Investigated

SIDNEY — Possibility of dividing Saanich municipality at the present school boundary and merging the northern portion with North Saanich, in a separate municipality, is being investigated by a joint committee named at the South Saanich Farmers' Institute meeting.

Executive of the Saanich Board of Trade were welcomed at the meeting by William D. Michell, president of the institute. Councillor W. Kersey led discussion of the position of the Saanich municipality, touching upon the recent appeal for secession by Ward 6 ratepayers.

"They point out that the B.C. Legislature, the administrative councils of Greater Victoria and other organizations have endorsed the branch resolution regarding pension increases.

The legion claims the government offer is totally inadequate. It wants an increase of at least 25 per cent.

The two members of Parliament for this area have also been written to asking them to look into the discharge of several letter carriers at the Victoria Post Office.

The carriers have been temporarily employed for several years and their layoff is claimed to have resulted from the fact they failed to pass examinations. It is the opinion of the branch they should be held at least in a temporary capacity.

Bloedel, Stewart & Welch Ltd. sawmill will make the flagpole from an 82-foot tree trunk brought to the sawmill today from Franklin River. The pole is a gift of the company, on behalf of Boy Scouts of British Columbia. Arrangements were made by Prentiss Bloedel, the president of the Boy Scouts' Association of British Columbia, and Jackson Dodds, C.B.E., Canadian Scout Commissioner.

## Decline Comment

TORONTO (CP) — Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, Minister of External Affairs, declined Wednesday to comment on an article published in Moscow by the Communist Party newspaper Pravda, charging Mr. St. Laurent and Justice Minister James Irsley with "aiding" in the production of the new Hollywood film "Iron Curtain," which Pravda described as an "ignominious attempt to discredit the Soviet Union."

In Toronto Finance Minister Irsley also declined comment on the Soviet charge.

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## Dimes Showers Nearing Close; \$7,300 Secured, More Needed

An appeal to the public to keep the silver shower flowing came today from officials of the Solarium Junior League who hope that when they ring down the curtain on this year's Shower of Dimes for the crippled children of the Queen Alexandra Solarium they will be able to score a count that reads "objective obtained."

The hard-working leaguers at this date can show a total that exceeds last year's shower aggregate from the Greater Victoria citizens, but the group has been forced to reach for a higher target to help the institution struggle through the inflationary period.

The total up to yesterday was \$7,300 but the aim is a figure nearer the \$10,000 mark. Next Monday is the deadline in the month-long league effort.

During February special events have provided more than one-half of the total and the remainder has been collected through the umbrellas, pint-size cans throughout the city and mailed contributions.

The Solarium Junior League is deserving of a great deal of credit for its untiring efforts each year for the combination home-hospital-school institution on the Malahat Beach shores.

Probably one of the best examples of the determination of the organization of 45 young ladies to carry on with their plans was when they continued the whole day through the wet, stormy downtown streets for the mid-month tag day. The highest total ever attained in an event of this type for the Solarium was the reward.

### CURE 3 "BLUE BABIES"

Dr. Glen Simpson, medical superintendent, points out that last year the institution became equipped to handle congenital heart children — youngsters suffering from what is better known as the "blue baby" heart ailment.

Residents of Greater Victoria contributed in 1946 and 1947 to campaigns to send local children to the east to be cured of this ailment prior to this. This will no longer be necessary.

Dr. Simpson uses the word "miraculous" for the medical and surgical procedures by which congenital heart defects are recognized and corrected in carefully selected cases.

"Moreover, all of them have been made possible in less than five years. Several operations have been developed and hundreds of children have been saved from death or a life of invalidism with very little prospect of leading independent lives," he said.

During 1947 three blue babies were treated successfully at the Solarium. The first was Carol

## Bigger Allowances For Student Veterans

OTTAWA (CP) — Increases in the allowances of single student veterans with dependent mothers are under "active consideration" and an announcement granting them an additional \$10 monthly is expected shortly, it was learned today.

This would bring their allowances into line with increases being granted to married student veterans, announced Feb. 16 in the Commons by Prime Minister King. At that time married veterans were granted an increase from \$80 to \$90 a month, with increases to \$18, \$14, \$12 and \$10 for the first, second, third, fourth and subsequent children. Previously the allowance for children was \$12 for the first two, \$10 for the third and \$8 for each additional child.

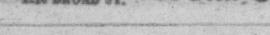
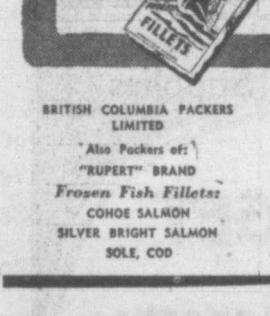
All increases will be by order-in-council, retroactive to Jan. 1, although not expected to be reflected in cheques until April.

## Urge More Wheat By Hudson Bay Route

REGINA (CP) — The Saskatchewan Legislature Wednesday approved a resolution introduced by H. L. Howell, C.C.P., Meadow Lake, asking the federal government to arrange for increased wheat exports through Port Churchill during the 1948 shipping season.

A. L. S. Brown, C.C.P., Bengough, said the Hudson Bay Railway and the port should be turned over to the province if the Dominion could not see its way clear to permit full utilization of the harbor. Farmers' efforts to use the port were "simply another phase of the farmer's struggle to get a larger share of the consumer's dollar."

Mr. Howell said capacity use of the Hudson Bay route would save the United Kingdom \$1,000,000 annually and Canada the \$500,000 annual subsidy now paid by the federal government.



## Octopus Attacks James Bay Resident

The unpleasant experience of having too close acquaintance with a large octopus just inside the breakwater is reported by Bill Curtis, 42 Montreal Street.

According to his own account, Mr. Curtis was fishing from a wooden float earlier this week when he first saw the octopus. He estimates it had a body two feet across and tentacles measuring from seven to eight feet in length.

The ugly creature moved up under the float and attached itself to a log. Mr. Curtis moved quickly to a boat tied up alongside the float and as soon as he had turned around, he saw several of the creature's tentacles up over the float searching the area where he had been only moments before.

The thankful parent adds "she looks well and is happy to know she will not be handicapped in any way."

Carol of Duncan

... former "blue baby," now looking well and happy.



## Printers Quit Work In Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Union printers did not report for work today in Philadelphia's 28 major commercial printing firms.

Sinclair Muir, president of the International Typographical Union's Local 2 (A.F.L.) refused to call the action by the 900 printers a strike.

He said they merely were "not desirous of continuing their employment under the present low wage scale."

The stoppage, first here in 27

years, was decided upon Wednesday night by a vote of 1,110 to 58, Muir reported.

Printers at Philadelphia newspaper plants are not involved in the dispute.

The printers are seeking an \$85-a-week scale at the 28 big shops—as contrasted with a current weekly scale of \$69.

Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner, this morning reported that Sylvester Garmus, 56, owner of the fishing boat Dip Chick S. G. 1156, found dead in his bunk on the boat tied up at Fishermen's Wharf at 8:11 Tuesday night, died from natural causes.

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RED SOCKEYE SALMON: CLOVER LEAF, 16-oz. tin	24¢	SARDINES: BRUNSWICK, 2 lbs.	17¢
PINK SALMON: PARAMOUNT, 16-oz. tin	20¢	SILVERFISH	11¢
SARDINES: NORVEGIAN, 16-oz. tin	24¢	HERRING IN TOMATO SAUCE: CROSS & BLACKWELL'S, 39¢	39¢

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PEAS: MEDO, choice 5¢	16¢
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PEAS: FRANKFORD, 20-oz. tins	3 for 35¢
Diced CARROTS: ROYAL CITY, 20-oz. tin	10¢
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APRICOTS: KING BEACH, 20-oz. tin	26¢	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE: TEX DELTA, 20-oz. tin	11¢
MING CHERRIES: AYLMER, 20-oz. tin	32¢	BLENDDED JUICE: CITRA GOLD 20-oz. tin	2 for 25¢
PEARS: BRENTWOOD, 20-oz. tin	28¢	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE: DONALD DUCK, 45-oz. tin	27¢
BLUEBERRIES: AYLMER, 20-oz. tin	33¢		

## Syrups

ROGERS' GOLDEN: 2-lb. tin	22¢	PANCAKE SYRUP: HOME, large 16t	24¢
10-lb. 1.13	57¢	KARO, CROWN, BEEHIVE CORN SYRUP	27¢
MAPLE SYRUP, 16-oz. bottle	55¢	2-lb. tin	64¢

## Jams and Marmalade

STRAWBERRY JAM: AYLMER, 4-lb. tin	87¢	CHERRY JAM: HOLSUM, 4-lb. tin	48¢
PLUM JAM: AYLMER, 4-lb. tin	65¢	2-PINT MARMALADE: AYLMER, 24-oz. jar	34¢

## Kelowna Honey

1-lb. jar	33¢	2-lb. tin	65¢
		4-lb. tin	1.30

DILLED CUCUMBER PICKLER: HEINZ, 16-oz. jar	24¢	PIE CRUST MIX: MRS. FLEMING'S, pkt.	35¢
DILL PICKLES: LIBBY'S 9-oz. jar	27¢	BLACK FIGS: per lb.	9¢
DILLED CUCUMBER RELISH: HEINZ, 9-oz. jar	15¢	DOKING FIGS: TURKISH per lb.	2 lbs. 25¢
TOMATO CATSUP: AYLMER, 20-oz. bottle	19¢	EVAPORATED PEACHES: per lb.	39¢
UNSWEETENED PICKLES: DYSON'S, 16-oz. jar	15¢	EVAPORATED APRICOTS: per lb.	49¢

CHILI SAUCE: AYLMER, bottle	23¢	FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES	
NUGGET SHOE POLISH, 10¢	10¢	ORANGES	2 for 29¢
TEA: NAROB.	84¢	Size 344	2 for 29¢
SPAGHETTI SAUCE: ALEX- ANDER, tin	9¢	Size 152	2 for 55¢
CORATION GRATED CHEESE, 16-oz.	9¢	APPLES	2.29
PEANUT BUTTER: SQUIR- REL, 1-lb. jar	37¢	HOME BEAUTY	3 lbs. 23¢
ROLLED OATS: BUCKEYE, 5-lb. sack	30¢	BOX	2.29
TOMATO JUICE: STOKELY'S, 48-oz. tin	29¢	GRAPEFRUIT: TEXAS	6 for 20¢
	12¢	Size 126	5 for 25¢
		SEED POTATOES: Epique, Certified Ware.	10 lbs. 59¢
		100-lb. sack	5.50

## Biscuits

SWEET BISCUITS: BARKER, cello. per lb.	17¢	SANDWICH BISCUITS: ASSORTED, lb.	37¢
SHORTBREAD BIS- CUITS: BADER'S	2 pks. 25¢	PRETZEL STICKS, lb.	10¢

Self-Serve Meats	
ROASTING CHICKENS, C Grade, per lb.	30¢
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## The Lip Jumps The Gun



Reinstated after a year's banishment, Leo Durocher, centre, returns to baseball managing the Major League All-Stars to a 4 to 3 victory over the Minor League All-Stars in a benefit baseball game in Los Angeles. Smiling with The Lip are the Cincinnati Reds' Ewell Blackwell, left, and the Pittsburgh Pirates' Ralph Kiner. The Brooklyn boss picked right up where he left off, sending Dodger farm hand Gene Mauch home with the winning run.

## Life Suspension For Gambling—Campbell

**DETROIT (CP)**—Main hope of clarifying the beclouded National Hockey League picture apparently rested today on possibility of President Clarence Campbell obtaining permission to see a former convict whose arrest brought out the possibility that two players had been betting on the outcome of N.H.L. games.

Last night Campbell said that the reported incident involved only an individual attempt to bet and not even "a hint of an attempt to fix a game." It proved, however, that there is "a big field for investigation to the limit."

The N.H.L. president said that any player found guilty of "even associating" with gamblers would be banned from hockey for life, whether or not he had done any betting.

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that the reported incident involved only an individual attempt to bet and not even "a hint of an attempt to fix a game." It proved, however, that there is "a big field for investigation to the limit."

Detroit police commissioner Harry S. Toy said that one of the players was a member of Boston Bruins and the other of New York Rangers, but no names were mentioned.

Toy identified the "middleman" as James (Rocco) Tamer, picked up as a parole violator last week for association with "known hoodlums" and whisked away to prison at Jackson, in southern Michigan.

Another possibility of clearing up the situation would be to find wire recordings reported to have been made of Tamer's telephone conversations with the two players. But Toy and parole officers said that they did not even know if such recordings had been made.

## University School Blanks Brentwood

Scoring two tries, one in each half, University School ruggers yesterday afternoon defeated Brentwood College, 6 to 0, in an exhibition match at University School.

Derek Shaw counted the first score with Hugh Burnett crossing the visitors' line in the second half.

Forwards dominated the play with University School having the edge the score indicated.

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K.V.'s Thump Y.M.C.A.

A mite puffed when cage officials refused to adhere to a request for cancellation of the game when two of their players came down with influenza, K.V.'s scrappy senior A hoopsters came snarling back last night to smother the Y.M.C.A. quintette under a 54 to 37 count in the third game of the best-of-five finals for the city championship.

Margin of K.V.'s victory was totally unexpected as the orangeshirts had previously dropped the first two games of the series, 50 to 42 and 73 to 51.

Sparkplug for the winners was Bob McKay, one of the stricken players, who got out of a sick bed to play in the game. McKay continually broke up "Y" plays with some fine defensive work and held Busher Jackson, "Y" captain and high scorer, in check throughout the contest. Ralph Baxter, the string bean centre, was another star for the winners as he rapped in 18 points and checked big Johnny Clark to a standstill.

## TIGHT DEFENCE

So tight was K.V.'s defence in the first two periods that the "Y" only garnered one field goal in the first 10 minutes and Jackson and Clark, who last game tallied 38 points between them, failed to get a field goal in the first 20 minutes.

Both sides played cautious ball in the opening minutes of the first quarter and it wasn't until near the four-minute mark that K.V.'s drew first blood on Baxter's bucket. Winners piled in 10 points before the "Y" hit the scoreboard to take a 12 to 2 lead at the breather. Ron Castner and Bob McKay sparked the second-period offense as K.V.'s moved out in front 27 to 13.

Winners continued to control the game as the second half got under way and completely bottled up the "Y" attack to take a 40 to 22 lead entering the final period. Baxter and Fred Ranson combined to push winners further ahead in the first five minutes of the fourth canto and though the losers did manage to slice the 24-point lead somewhat in the dying moments the orangeshirts walked off the floor with a convincing triumph.

Ralph Anderson, a constant source of trouble to the Y.M.C.A. cause, took runner-up honors for

## Norm Baker Hits 32 Points Again As Vancouver Winner

Another 32-point barrage by Norm Baker and another ball game for the Vancouver Hornet.

The Canadian quintette "hung the slug" on the Bellingham Firecrests 68 to 64 last night to move within a game of the Pacific Coast Professional Basketball League leaders. The two clubs meet again tonight at Vancouver.

Vancouver pulled ahead late in the second quarter to take a 36 to 27 half-time lead. Bellingham closed the gap to 60 to 56 late in the game but couldn't put over the clincher.

Fourth game of the senior A finals will take place March 3. Other playoff tilts will take place Monday.

## Close Scores Mark Coast Hockey Games

The Los Angeles Monarchs, in a cat and dog fight with San Francisco in the southern division of the Pacific Coast Hockey League enjoyed a four-point lead today. They outlasted Fresno 5 to 4 last night.

The Shamrocks did themselves no good, dropping a 3 to 2 count on their home ice to San Diego. The win boosted the Skyhawks back into fourth place.

In the only other game the Seattle Ironmen, tops in the northern division, defeated the Portland Eagles at Seattle 3 to 1. It was the 11th time in their 12 meetings the Ironmen have

triumphed this season.

**LEAGUE STANDINGS**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Bellingham	8	4	.667
Vancouver	6	4	.600
Seattle	5	5	.500
Portland	7	7	.500
Tacoma	2	8	.200

Teams and scores follow.

Vancouver—Baker 32, Lawn 5, Osterhaus 5, Vaughan 6, Nichol 3, Chapman 7, White 7, Wirkun 3.

Bellingham—Maul 6, Patterson 14, Hays 18, Akins 11, Dor 5, Wark 5, Gaffney 3, J. Baker 2.

**CANCEL PRACTICE**

Saanich Thistles soccer practice scheduled for tonight has been canceled.

## Expect No Trouble For Canada's Ice Team Caught In Czechoslovakia

**OTTAWA (CP)**—R.C.A.F. Flyers, Canada's Olympic hockey champions, are not expected to have any difficulty leaving Czechoslovakia despite the political upheaval in that country, Czech embassy officials said today.

While the Czech border has been closed to Czech nationals wishing to leave the country, it was understood this restriction did not apply to such groups as the Flyers, who are merely passing through the state and whose passports are believed in order.

Yesterday the Czechoslovak ambassador, Dr. Frantisek Nemec could not be reached for comment. It was understood he was awaiting word as to how developments would affect him.

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## Barnes To Referee Coast League Tilt

George Barnes has been named referee for Saturday's Pacific Coast League soccer game between North Shore and Victoria United it was announced today by Charlie Faulkner, secretary of the United.

Glancy and Searle will act as linesmen. Match will be played at Athletic Park starting at 2:30.

## Schoolboy Boxing

## Tourney To Take Place March 12

City schoolboy boxing championships will take place at the Armories March 12, it was announced by chairman Louis Calton of the Greater Victoria Boxing Association last night.

Eliminations will be held at each of the individual clubs prior to the championships, with finalists and semifinalists slated to appear on the one-night card.

Also proposed as a feature for the show is a rematch between Tommy Keyes and Sammy May of Alberni.

Keyes was awarded a decision over May in the Island Golden Gloves tourney here in the welterweight final. The decision didn't go over so well with the crowd and May gained some measure of revenge in Vancouver when he captured the Golden Boy award.

The bout should be a natural with both lads out to prove once and for all who is the better scrapper.

## Juvenile Soccer Schedule Released

Juvenile soccer schedule for week-end follows:

## DIVISION TWO

Vets of France vs. Quarterback Central Park, Esquimalt A.A. vs. Jubilee Pharmacy, Victoria West.

## DIVISION FOUR

St. Louis College vs. Esquimalt Transfer, Beacon Hill.

## DIVISION FIVE

Balmoral Thistles vs. Burnside, Beacon Hill.

All games are slated for Saturday and will start at 1.

## DIVISION ONE

Eagles vs. Heaney's, Beacon Hill. Marigold vs. Esquimalt, Hampton Road.

Games start at 2:30 Sunday.

## Soccer Tilt Billed For Windsor Park

Replay of last week's Fred Fred intermediate soccer knockout cup game between Saanich Thistles and Oak Bay will be played at Windsor Park, home of the Oak Bay squad, it was announced today. Game time Saturday is 2:30.

Tying the Thistles last week at Hampton Road, Oak Bay feel confident they can take the suburbanites on their home pitch. Both teams have shown marked improvement in recent games.

## Singles, Doubles Of Women's Tennis Tourney Saturday

Singles and doubles events of

the seventh annual women's tennis handicap bowing tournament will be run off at Gibson's Bowldrome Saturday night starting at 7.

Complete draw follows:

Doubles: E. Hines, J. V. Barnes; P. O'Connor, K. Grimes; O. Mair, L. Ferguson; E. McKeever, M. Conlon; M. Bashforth, D. Williams; J. Barron, J. Law.

Singles: E. Hines, J. V. Barnes; A. Law, J. Williams; J. Grimes, D. Williams; E. Ferguson, E. McKeever; M. Bashforth, D. Williams; J. Barron, J. Law.

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Boston 22 10 10 135 143 46

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## Portland Hockey Goalie Badly Cut

SEATTLE (AP)—Jerry Fodey, goalie for Portland Eagles hockey team, suffered a deep cut over his right eye Wednesday night in a Pacific Coast Hockey League game with Seattle Ironmen. He was taken to hospital for treatment.

The mishap held up the game for half an hour. Bill Gribble, who played with San Francisco about three years ago, was drafted from the stands to take Fodey's place.

Fodey suffered his injury when Maurice Duffy of the Ironmen fired a high shot. The puck was deflected by the stick of a Portland player and struck Fodey above the eye.

## Expect Walcott To Accept Return Fight Terms Tonight

CAMDEN, N.J. (AP)—To the surprise of nobody, the return bout between heavyweight champion Joe Louis and Jersey Joe Walcott probably will be announced officially tonight.

The announcement that Walcott has agreed to the terms set down by the Twentieth Century Sporting Club is slated to be made at the presentation of the Police Gazette's "heavyweight championship belt" to Jersey Joe in a public ceremony at Convention Hall.

The Police Gazette considers that Jersey Joe whipped the champion in their first encounter last December and is reviving its

custom of years ago in awarding a belt to the titleholder.

But when champion Joe and challenger Jersey Joe meet in the Yankee Stadium June 23 over the 15-round route it'll be Louis that'll get the titleholder's share of the purse.

Louis, now in England for a series of exhibition bouts, is due to collect 40 per cent of the purse, Walcott 20 per cent. Jersey Joe's advisors have been holding out for a 30-per-cent cut of the movie rights. But the announcement tonight is likely to reveal that Walcott will receive much closer to 20 per cent than 30 of the movie income.

Deadline for the posting of

bond was midnight Feb. 24 and

King was unable to raise the funds. The extension refusal is considered to have squashed whatever chances Vancouver had of being represented in the western football circuit.

Dunc Grant led Stamp's scoring parade with two goals but once again it was the smooth work of the McDonald-Culley-DeVico line that highlighted the attack. McDonald and Culley both picked up a goal and an assist while DeVico collected two assists. Emery and Dame provided the other Calgary markers and Cairns, Desmarais and Hunter each got an assist.

The Latoski-Heximer-Hall line provided the goals for Lethbridge and was a constant threat every time out. Heximer and Hall were the marksmen while Latoski got two assists. Taggart and Grey were also credited with assists.

## Vancouver May Hold Western Title Bouts

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Vancouver Cosmopolitan Club announced today it was prepared to underwrite the expenses of a western Canada amateur boxing tournament here in April.

With the support of the A.A.U., the club would bring champions of the eight recognized weight divisions from the prairies to meet with B.C. champions for western Canada titles.

The right to represent the west in the Canadian Olympic trials in Montreal May 27 and 28 also would be sought for tournament winners.

A meeting is scheduled later this week between representatives of the club, the A.A.U. and the B.C. Amateur Boxing Association to draw up plans for recognition of the tournament as official western Canada championships and Olympic trials.

## Racing Results

SANTA ANITA—Results of horse racing here Wednesday follow:

First Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Second Race—	\$4.20	\$3.10	\$2.50
Third Race—	\$4.20	\$3.10	\$2.50
Fourth Race—	\$12.50	\$8.40	\$3.00
Fifth Race—	\$4.20	\$3.10	\$2.50
Sixth Race—	\$12.50	\$8.40	\$3.00
Seventh Race—	\$11.20	\$8.00	\$4.50
Eighth Race—	\$6.50	\$4.50	\$4.50
Ninth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Tenth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Eleventh Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Twelfth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Thirteenth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Fourteenth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Fifteenth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Sixteenth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Seventeenth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Eighteenth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Nineteenth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Twentieth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Twenty-first Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Twenty-second Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Twenty-third Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Twenty-fourth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Twenty-fifth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Twenty-sixth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Twenty-seventh Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Twenty-eighth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Twenty-ninth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Thirty-first Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Thirty-second Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Thirty-third Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Thirty-fourth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Thirty-fifth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Thirty-sixth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Thirty-seventh Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Thirty-eighth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Thirty-ninth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Forty-first Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Forty-second Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Forty-third Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
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Fiftieth-seventh Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Fiftieth-eighth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Fiftieth-ninth Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Fiftieth-tenth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
Fiftieth-eleventh Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
Fiftieth-twelfth Race—	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$4.00
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Fiftieth-twenty-first Race—	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$2.50
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## New Traffic Light System Test Causes Some Confusion

Intersection of Yates and Douglas Streets this morning between 11 and 12 was a scene of confusion when the public was given its first taste of the new corner-to-corner traffic light system.

The green-amber-red light system on that corner was being put through a test as to its operating efficiency and to get public reaction.

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The officers were asked by many to explain the system.

Acting Chief of Police John Blackstock reported that if everything goes without a hitch the entire Douglas Street new system will be in operation by the end of next week.

### Electricians Await Conciliation Report

Report of a conciliation board headed by E. S. H. Winn is awaited in the wage negotiations between the British Columbia Electric Railway Co. Ltd. and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (A.F.L.), representing 600 B.C.R. employees, including 100 in Victoria.

It is expected in union quarters that the report will be submitted shortly.

Also serving on the board with Mr. Winn are A. Gordon, union nominee, and E. S. Farr employer employee.

Since the conciliation board hearings opened, the union members have voted on and rejected a company offer providing for a 20-cent an hour across the board increase, retroactive to Jan. 1, with a 10-cent an hour increase between July 29 and Jan. 1.

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## Board Prohibits Bonus Charge For Leasing Homes

The not uncommon practice of "tipping" or payment of a commission to a landlord or janitor in order to obtain housing accommodation, is prohibited in a recent order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

The order which was passed to protect the "house hunter" prohibits the payment of a commission to any person, including a real estate broker, for negotiating a lease or renewal of a lease for any housing accommodation of any description.

The order prohibits a real estate agent from accepting a commission for finding a home for a house hunter. If a commission is paid it is recoverable by the tenant from the person to whom it was paid.

The board, however, has reserved itself the power to exempt any individual from this new order, providing an application is made to this effect to the board.

## U.S. Navy Employee Strangled In Room

NEW YORK (AP) — An naval officer, traveling under orders from the United States Navy Department, was found strangled in his ransacked West 57th Street hotel room Wednesday. The body of the 35-year-old victim was bound hand and foot and strips of a bed sheet were knotted around the neck.

The man was indentified as Harvey Haeberle, a civilian employee of the navy's photographic division at Washington. The navy said Haeberle had served as its contact man with commercial studios filming training movies.

The hands and feet were lashed behind the body with strips of heating. His belt and another piece of the torn sheet were twisted about the neck. A chain strip running down his back linked the knots so that any movement to break free would tighten the noose around his neck until he choked.

The disordered hotel room indicated Haeberle had put up a fierce struggle for his life before he was overpowered.

Police said robbery apparently was the motive for the slaying, believed to have been done Tuesday.

## Mother Of Provincial Secretary Passes

Mrs. Emma Pearson, 93, mother of Hon. George S. Pearson, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Health and Welfare, passed away this morning at the residence, 1325 May Street. A resident of Nanaimo for 54 years, Mrs. Pearson had resided in Victoria for five years. The remains will be forwarded by Sands Mortuary this afternoon to Nanaimo, where private funeral service will be held Saturday afternoon.

## \$25,000 Addition To Phoenix Brewery

A building permit has been issued to the Victoria Phoenix Brewery to erect a new bottling shop at 1921 Government Street to cost \$25,000.

Birley, Wade and Stockdill are the architects and the work is to be done by day labor.

The new one-story building will have stucco exterior.

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## Damage Action Over Free Access To Sea

Application for an adjournment of the trial of L. H. Nicholson, of All Bay, North Sidney, who is claiming damages from Arnold Moran, operator of a marine establishment, known as Sidney Marina, was made before Mr. Justice N. W. Whittaker in Supreme Court today.

Mr. Nicholson complains in his action the marine establishment, which consists of a wharf and service station, interferes with his free access to his property to the sea and the navigation of small vessels to and from his foreshore.

R. D. Harvey, K.C., counsel for the plaintiff, requested an adjournment of the trial, which had been fixed for March 2, by reason of the absence of Capt. O. J. Williams, an expert witness necessary for the plaintiff's case.

His Lordship granted the application on the understanding no damages would be claimed for anything that might result pending the date set for the hearing of the trial. The case was adjourned until October.

H. W. Davey, K.C., was counsel for the defendant.

## Cost Survey On Education Under Way

The provincial Department of Municipal Affairs is conducting a province-wide survey of education costs to the municipalities and how they have changed since 1945.

Today the City Council received a copy of the questionnaire from B.C. Bracewell, Inspector of municipalities, with the request that it be completed at an early date.

It asks for a comparison of the 1945, 1946, 1947 and estimated 1948 costs for ordinary expenses, debt charges, and extraordinary expenses from revenue.

In addition it queries the amount of government grants and other receipts, as well as net school costs raised by taxation, and municipal comment on the reasons for any increases or decreases.

Mr. Bracewell explained that he wished the figures supplied on a municipal basis irrespective of the type or size of the school estimate.

## 7th Reunion

Remnants of the 7th Battalion (First B.C. Regiment), Victoria's famous regiment of the First World War, will hold its annual banquet at the Lougheed Banquet Club, at 6:30 tomorrow night.

James Conley, 2024 Belmont Avenue, appeared in city police court this morning and entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of theft of \$60, the property of Lionel and Lindsay Dickson, from a garage at 813 Douglas Street. He elected trial before Magistrate H. C. Hall and was remanded to tomorrow.

According to the story told city police by Lionel Dickson he had returned from a meeting at about 6:55 and while talking to employees and his brother heard the cash register bell ring.

He rushed to the office and saw a man leaving the premises through the front door. Dickson said he grabbed the man and held him until police arrived. He said there was \$60 missing from the till.

Detective Norman Bath and Constable Alex Nichol apprehended the 13-year-old boy and later juvenile officers picked up the other boy involved.

Entry was gained by getting onto the roof of the Winch Building and getting into the store through a window. There was nothing in the possession of either of the boys which belonged to the store.

Detective Fearnor Woodburn

Alcoholics Help Each Other To Defeat Age-Old Problem

There is no one who can sell confidence. Next comes the question of relationship with the people outside. He must find out where he has been wrong and then try to straighten those things out. This would be known medically as "adjustment" and religiously as "restitution."

Both religion and psychiatry have been hard-put to find for the alcoholic a new, compelling interest to take the place of alcohol.

Most alcoholics, said "Bill," were bankrupt idealists. The problem had been for them to find something to do in which they were achieving their ideals. This they were able to do in helping another alcoholic recover and regain a use in life. It is the creation of a society where each deeply understands the other. These factors taken together have made recovery possible, "Bill" said.

"Bill," continued, was entirely a work of good will. All members are amateurs and no one is paid. There are no fees or dues and the few small expenses which have to be met are covered by passing round the hat.

"Bill," himself, lives on the royalties from the book "Alcoholics Anonymous" which he wrote. Living on the book was very slim at first and his average income was only \$1,700 a year. Since then, however, as public interest rapidly increased in the work of "A.A." sales have gone up tremendously and are now about 30,000 copies a year, for which "Bill" gets a 35-cent-a-copy royalty.

## Council Looks To Province For Aid In Keeping Down Mill Rate

With mounting salary and maintenance costs facing them in every department of civic administration, the Victoria City Council is waiting hopefully for the session of the Legislature which opens next week to see whether any relief, particularly in education costs, will be forthcoming.

The mayor indicated it would be unlikely that the council would set the mill rate until after it has been seen what the provincial government will do. They have until May 15 to set the mill rate.

At present, he explained, the provincial government would be paying only 35.83 per cent of education costs during 1948, with the municipalities of the Greater Victoria district bearing the other 64.17 per cent. This assumes that the province will bear its share of debt charges for the new school building program.

The charges for ordinary expenditures for the school board have increased by \$259,176 over 1947, and for administration of the school department they are up \$55,500. This does not include the \$43,000 extra salaries asked by the police union, which is still under negotiation.

The salary question in all civic departments is a question mark, with all branches of the service demanding increased wages and cost-of-living bonuses. It has been estimated that salaries might have to go up to \$250,000 for the entire service.

The main part of the road rebuilding plan for Victoria which is to be undertaken this year will be financed by the grant given by the B.C. Electric Railway Company for streetcar track removal. This amounts to almost \$300,000 and work is already starting on this.

## DOMINION THEATRE

It's difficult to think of J. Carroll Naish at ease among the flowers and the trees—his extensive list of heavy screen roles makes him seem miscast in his off-screen role of amateur gar-

den. Actually, Naish, who appears in Edward Small's "The Corsican Brothers," re-released by the Producers Releasing Corporation at the Dominion Theatre today, owns and cares for personally, one of the most beautiful gardens in Hollywood.



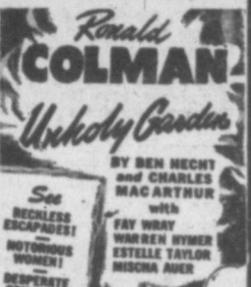
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## Fredric March Gives Views On Playing Drunks For Films

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—It helps to play a drunk on the screen, but don't do it on the set. This advice comes from Frederic March, an expert on (movie) drinking scenes.

The actor's dissertation arose as we considered how well the Academy rewards stars who play souses. Witness such recent winners as Ray Milland ("The Lost Week-End"), James Dunn ("A Tree Grows in Brooklyn"), Anne Baxter ("The Razor's Edge"). This year Susan Hayward was nominated for her boozey role in "Smash-Up."

March, whose tipping and hangover scenes in "Best Years" helped win him an Oscar, had this explanation:

"Perhaps it is the fascination of a still puritanical nation in something that is considered evil—drinking."

He granted that it requires artistry to play a role that departs from the common conception of a drunk—as a high-acted, laughable character. He particularly praised Ray Milland's many-sided performance of a prime candidate for Alcoholics Anonymous.

### FUN TO PLAY

March remarked that it is fun to play drunks, and not particularly difficult. "Of course, I always study other people to prepare for my drinking scenes," he smiled. I asked if it helped to act while loosed.

"I don't think so. If you get too fried, you lose focus on the character. There's an old saying about liquor—it can't make you do anything better."

He admitted a short snort sometimes helps to calm nerves of newcomers. For instance, Director William Wyler encouraged Harold Russell to sip some beer during "Best Years."

But March's experiences of drinking while playing drunks have been none too happy. He guzzled real champagne in "A Star Is Born" and vodka in "Anna Karenina," and the realism rewarded him with a bad head each time. During "Design for Living," he and Gary Cooper killed a bottle of brandy and shooting had to be suspended while the actors slept it off.

Older and wiser, he merely spun around a few times for the "Best Years" bar scene. Same effect, he said. For "The Judge's Wife," I watched him quaff a mild Martini (portrayed by flat ginger ale). In this picture, he's as sober as a—okay, so he's playing a judge.

Errol Flynn Takes Lead In Royal Film

Errol Flynn faces his toughest opponent in Warner Bros.' "Escape Me Never," opening today at the Royal Theatre, with Ida Lupino, Eleanor Parker and Gig Young heading the cast. The opponent in this particular film does not swing a sword, or shoot a .44 as Flynn's main battle in "Escape Me Never" is with a piano.

Cast as a musician in the film version of Margaret Kennedy's celebrated novel and play, Flynn had to play on a pianoforte and a concertina. Ida Lupino is called upon for two songs, but whereas this actress is an experienced singer, Flynn and musical instruments have never before worked together in pictures.

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## General Was Wrong—All Equal Rank



President Truman got a third military aide in recognition of air force independence—and they all three rank equally, despite Maj.-Gen. Harry H. Vaughan's announcement that henceforth he would be "chief armed services aide." Gen. Vaughan's announcement was abruptly corrected by the President, who said there would be no outranking among the aides. All three look equally friendly here after the announcement. Left to right: Vaughan, military aide; Col. Robert Landry, newly-appointed air force aide; and Capt. Robert Dennison, naval aide.

## Six Plays In Contest For Honors At Province's Drama Festival

VANCOUVER (CP)—Six plays—five by Vancouver groups and one by a New Westminster group—will compete for honors in the British Columbia Drama Festival which will open tonight and end Saturday.

One of the two-act plays by Canadian authors is "Curtain Call" by Alex Hood, member of the Vancouver Self-Help group, originally started in depression days to teach sewing, weaving and other crafts. Drama came as an after-thought.

Chief organizer Mrs. R. Frazer-Crieff, recently given the Canadian Drama Award, remarked: "The beauty of being able to pretend is a wonderful thing. In depression days we didn't even have to try to create actors. All most people wanted to do then was to forget their troubles and be someone else for a little while."

But self-help groups have created actors, and producers and playwrights, too.

Hood, display expert for the B.C. Electric Company, puts in his spare time adding to the eight plays, 15 poems and several musical composition he has already written.

"Curtain Call" tells the story of a man who wrecks his health with overwork in order to reach the top rung as a dramatic actor.

The other Canadian play, "Tender Memory," was written by Wing-Cmdr W. J. Mooney of the West Vancouver Little Theatre Guild. The scene is set in Vancouver and the gentle, moving story is dedicated to the author's former squadron leader, lost in action in the Pacific area. There are only three characters.

"The Silver Cord," in three acts, by Widney Howard, will be presented tonight by the Vancouver Little Theatre. The two

plays will be followed by "Duffy Aint Here" and "Kipps."

On Saturday, "The Clock Cleaners" and "Master of Bankdam" will be presented.

Canadian one-act plays plus Lal Norris' one-act "Fair Rosamond" are scheduled for Friday night.

The festival will conclude Saturday night with the New Westminster Vagabond Players' production of "Ladies in Retirement" by Edward Percy and Reginald Denham.

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Miss Dorothy Somerset, one of the governors of the Dominion drama organization and assistant professor of dramatics in the University of B.C., said in an interview that money was the chief stumbling block in establishment of a national theatre.

"The thin edge of the wedge," she said, "is the setting up in both Alberta and Saskatchewan of repertory theatres backed by the government. This in every province, with a group like the Dominion Repertory Company such as was started in Toronto and postponed a year, would be the answer."

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## Exciting Drama Of Nazi Manhunt

"Open City," which opens today at the Rio Theatre, is an exciting drama of a Nazi manhunt. The suspense derives in the traps set by the Gestapo to catch Rome's underground leaders. The film is a stirring, deeply moving tale of love and hate, courage and cowardice. It is frank when frankness is demanded, warmly tender when the love story is told, brutal when the brutality of the Nazis must be revealed.

### CAPITOL THEATRE

Ted Donaldson, 13-year-old veteran screen featured player, has decided to retire from the screen voluntarily.

The youngster, whose current film is Eagle-Lion's Cinecolor production of "Red Stallion," a poignant and heartwarming story of a boy's devotion to his horse, is now playing at the Capitol Theatre, revealed his intention to retire from the screen for a five-year period during the filming of the picture.

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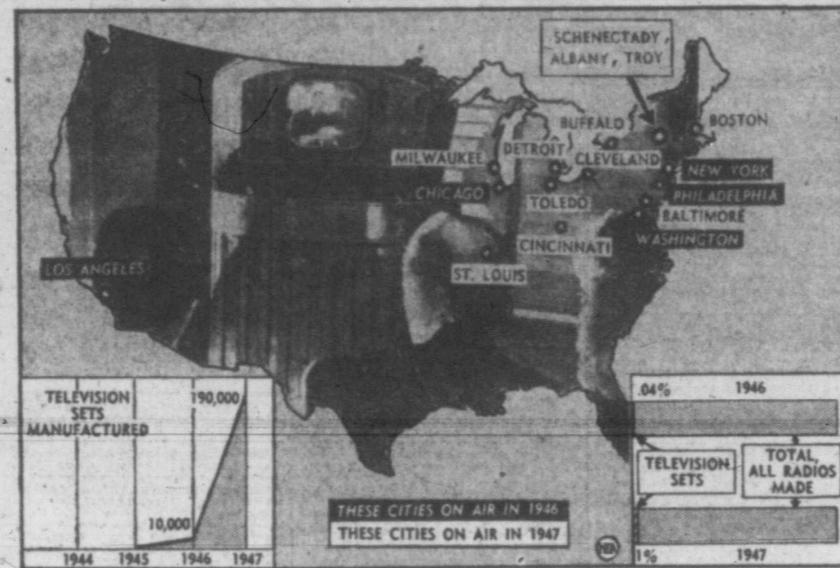
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### British Jury Fails To Reach Decision On Horse Doping

LONDON (Reuters)—A London jury Wednesday was unable to agree whether the Jockey Club, controlling British flat racing, held a fair inquiry into allegations of doping before warning off turf trainer James Russell.

The action was brought against The Jockey Club by Russell, who contended his licence was wrongfully withdrawn. He claimed this involved breach of contract and also asked for damages and libel.

Lord Chief Justice Goddard ruled Russell had not established his libel case and said he would only ask the jury to consider whether the Jockey Club's inquiry into the alleged doping was fair.

When it failed to answer this, Lord Goddard discharged the jury and said he would give judgment on the legal issues later.

During the hearing, Russell denied he had doped the horse, Battle Boro, when it won at Lincoln last year.

Three stewards of The Jockey Club, all of them British peers, testified that the analyst's certificate, issued after he examined Battle Boro, clearly established the horse had been doped.

### Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—"Road to Rio," starring Bob Hope and Bing Crosby.

CAPITOL—"The Red Stallion," starring Robert Page and Noreen Nash.

DOMINION—"The Corsican Brothers," starring Douglas Fairbanks and Ruth Warrick.

OAK BAY—"Kipp's," starring Michael Redgrave.

PLAZA—Lucille Ball and George Sanders in "Lured."

RIO—"Open City," starring Anna Magnani.

ROYAL—"Escape Me Never," starring Eleanor Parker and Gig Young.

YORK—"Waltz Time," starring Carol Raye and Peter Graves.

### Plays In 'Mikado'



—Photo by Leonard Holmes.

Don Beale, promising young musician, remembered for his work in the "Gondoliers," will portray "Pish-Tush" in the "Mikado," to be presented by the Victoria Gilbert and Sullivan Society at the Royal Theatre March 2 and 3.

Spinelli Resigns From Ring Guild As Per Request

NEW YORK (AP)—Mike Spinelli, manager of the late Sam Baroudi, Wednesday resigned from the Boxing Managers' Guild at the request of the organization. He said he was retiring from the fight business.

Spinelli was the first member ousted from the guild although several applications for membership have been turned down.

President Charley Johnston of the guild called the meeting to investigate reported actions of Spinelli in Chicago where Baroudi died after a fight with Ezzard Charles.

The managers heard Spinelli's own story of why he had attempted to leave Chicago with the fighter's purse while he was dying in a hospital.

Spinelli said he had a paper from Baroudi's father, empowering him to collect the purse. He said he had left his son, Frank, in Chicago with orders to report any change in Baroudi's condition, when he left for the airport.

The manager insisted he had seen to it that Baroudi's mother was notified of her son's serious condition. He also claimed he left \$190 with Jimmy Brooks, described as Baroudi's friend, to cover incidental expenses.

### Mystery Romance On Plaza Screen

In Hunt Stromberg's fascinating mystery romance, "Lured," Lucille Ball plays a show girl whose play flops in London. In order to earn a living, she takes a job as a taxi dancer. Her best friend at the dance emporium answers a classified "lonely hearts" advertisement and disappears. Then Lucille swings into action and helps Scotland Yard track down a homicidal maniac and, in the course of the hunt, she attracts the romantic interest of a wealthy night club owner, George Sanders.

The picture opens today at the Plaza Theatre through United Artists release.

### ATLAS THEATRE

The patty-cake routine, so hilariously initiated in their first "road" picture, "Road to Singapore," is revived by Bing Crosby and Bob Hope in their new travelaugh-film for Paramount, "Road to Rio." As is customary, Dorothy Lamour co-stars with the boys in the film, which is currently at the Atlas Theatre.

This time, Bing and Bob improvise a variation on an old theme, and the effect is disastrous upon Frank Faylen and Joe Vitale. They play a couple of tough muggs who hound Crosby and Hope all through the picture.

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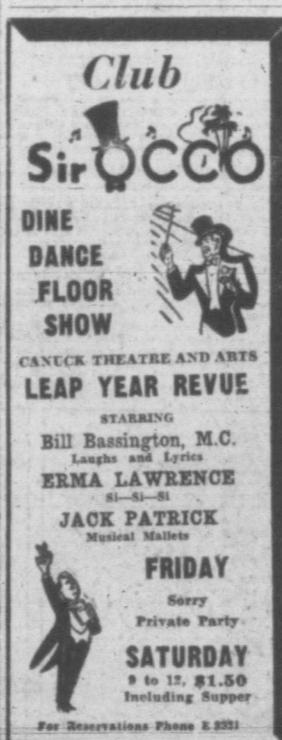
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## Announcements

## BIRTHS

RANDALL—To Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Randall  
and their son, Allen, 10 months, Michigan St.,  
at St. Joseph's Hospital on Feb. 26, 1948.SLIGAN—To Mr. and Mrs. William M.  
Sligan into Joan Gill, R.N., of Taylor  
Lake, B.C. on Feb. 22, at the Royal  
Victoria Hospital, a daughter, Patricia  
Maynard.

## MARRIAGES

PRUMONT-ANNEIT—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil  
C. Annett, 2529 Bowker Avenue, an-  
nounced the marriage of their eldest  
daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Annett and Mr.  
Franklin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs.  
J. Prumont, 2362 Pacific Avenue. The  
wedding was held at the First United  
Church of Victoria, Feb. 22, 1948, in the  
presence of the Rev. Dr. Bush A. McLeod  
officiating.

## DEATHS

BINGHAM—Passed away at the Lebanon  
Nursing Home on Feb. 24, 1948. Arthur  
Stanley Bingham, 82, of 123 Queen  
Street. He was born in England and a resident of Victoria for  
40 years. Mr. Bingham was an employee of  
the C.N. Railway, stationed at Melville.  
Visitation and services were held at the  
home of the Rev. Frank Bingham, a  
son of the deceased.Funeral services will be held in the  
chapel of the Thomson Funeral Home on  
Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. Rev. H. H.  
Bolton officiating. Interment in the  
Royal Oak Burial Park.FOSTER—Passed away at 909 Burdett Avenue, on Feb. 23, 1948. Mrs. Frances R. Foster, of 10 Gorse Lane, West, aged 80, a widow. Foster was born in England and a resident of Victoria and Met-  
uchen for the past 58 years. Surviving  
her are two daughters, Mrs. D. Tomany  
of Seattle, and Mrs. B. Pattison Long  
of Victoria. Also one granddaughter  
and two great-grandchildren.Funeral services will be held in the  
chapel of the Thomson Funeral Home on  
Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. Rev. H. H.  
Bolton officiating. Interment in the  
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24, 1948, Sylvester (Boy) Garmus,  
aged 20, born in Dornum, Germany, and  
had been a resident of Duncan and  
Victoria all his life. Late residence,  
Macaulay Point, Esquimalt. Survived  
by his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Garmus,  
and two sisters, Mrs. D. Tomany  
of Seattle, and Mrs. B. Pattison Long  
of Victoria. Also one granddaughter  
and two great-grandchildren.Funeral services will be held in the  
chapel of the Thomson Funeral Home on  
Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. Rev. H. H.  
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Royal Oak Burial Park.GOSSE—On Feb. 25, 1948, at her residence,  
1020 Esquimalt Road, the widow of  
Capt. Josiah Gosse, a pioneer of  
Esquimalt Lagoon; born in Suffolk,  
England, and came to British Columbia  
in 1901. Mrs. Gosse was the daughter  
of Mr. William Hirst; two sons, Capt.  
A. R. Gosse and Douglas M. Gosse,  
all in Victoria; one daughter, Mrs. M. M.  
Gosse, and one great-grandchild.Funeral services will be held in the  
chapel of the Thomson Funeral Home on  
Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. Rev. H. H.  
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Royal Oak Burial Park.LORIMER—There passed away at the  
residence of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lorimer  
of 309 Michigan Street. She was born in  
London, England, and came to British Columbia  
in 1901. Mrs. Lorimer leaves her husband  
and two sons, Arthur and John, and  
one daughter, Mrs. John Grindrod, in  
Georgetown, B.C. Also one son, John  
Moluan, in England; Miss Jessie Moluan,  
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of Victoria.Funeral services will be held in the  
chapel of the Thomson Funeral Home on  
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Caledonia Avenue, Allister McKinnon,  
aged 53 years, in Glasgow, Scotland,  
and came to Vancouver, B.C., in  
1925. He was a resident of Victoria for  
the past 25 years. The late Mrs.  
McKinnon leaves her husband, one step-  
daughter, Mrs. John Grindrod, in  
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Royal Oak Burial Park.PEARSON—At 1325 May Street, on Feb.  
26, Mrs. Emma Pearson, aged 93 years;  
born in England, and came to Victoria  
in 1907, aged 20 years. She had been  
a resident of Victoria for the past  
five years, formerly of Nanaimo.  
Mrs. Pearson was the widow of one  
son, Rev. George Pearson, 407  
Million Street, Nanaimo, B.C.The late Mrs. Pearson is resting at  
the Chapel of the Good Shepherd. Inter-  
ment of the private funeral services will be held at  
Nanaimo, B.C. on Saturday, Feb. 28, 1948. No flowers, by special request.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Continued)

## DEATHS

THOM—There passed away suddenly, at  
his home, 1020 Esquimalt Road, Ernest  
Thom, aged 12 years, beloved wife of  
William Thom of 1640 Pandora Avenue.  
He had resided in Victoria for the past  
20 years. She leaves to mourn her  
loss, besides her husband, sisters in  
London, England.Funeral services will be held in McCallum  
Bros. Funeral Chapel on Saturday  
afternoon at 1 p.m. Rev. James  
Hooper officiating. Interment will be in  
Colwood Burial Park.THOMAS—ON Feb. 22, 1948, at 1200, Ethel  
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